[PHILADELPHIA]
citypaper
PHILADEL… …DEPENDENT WEEKLY NEWSPAPER
May … 5 | www.…

➤ SOAPBOXER | Poker, Mr. Mayor?

MUSIC | Free Energy bangs, pops + AGENDA | The hottest dude in Philly

SUPERSUPERHERO



memorial day weekend fun starts inside.

Borgata
HOTEL CASINO & SPA


GET SOCIAL WITH A TOUCH
MORE CONNECTIONS JUST A TOUCH AWAY.
MOTOROLA CLIQ™ with MOTOBLUR™
$149.99
plus taxes and fees with new activation on 2-yr contract
INTRODUCING MOTOROLA CLIQ XT™ with MOTOBLUR™
• MOTOBLUR syncs contacts, posts, feeds, messages, emails, and more
• Web Browsing with Flash Lite and a touch pad
• Instant music, instantaneously shared
$129.99
plus taxes and fees with new activation on 2-yr contract
Barry Smyth
Check out my pic on Friday night.
Mary Vaughn
My coffee is delicious. Doesn't seem to be doing the trick quickly
T-Mobile
Call 1-800-TMOBILE | Go to your local T-Mobile Store | Visit www.t-mobile.com
Limited time offer; subject to change. New activation of two-year agreement on qualifying voice and data plan required. Credit approval and $35/line activation fee required; up to $200/line early cancellation fee applies to two-year agreements. Taxes, fees and other upfront and monthly charges may apply. Use of some features or services may incur separate additional charges and/or require a qualifying data plan. See brochures and T-Mobile's Terms and Conditions (including arbitration provision) at www.t-mobile.com for rate plan information, charges for features and services, and restrictions and details. T-Mobile and the magenta color are registered trademarks of Deutsche Telekom AG. Stick together is a registered trademark and Cliq and Cliq XT are trademarks of T-Mobile USA, Inc. ©2010 T-Mobile USA, Inc. MOTOROLA and the Stylized M Logo are registered in the US Patent & Trademark Office. The MOTOBLUR Logo is a trademark of Motorola. The Bluetooth trademarks are owned by their proprietor and used by Motorola, Inc. under license. Facebook is a trademark of Facebook, Inc. Google, YouTube, Picasa, Gmail, Google Maps, Google Talk, Android, and Android Market are trademarks of Google, Inc. All other trademark and product or service names are the property of their respective owners. ©2010 Motorola, Inc. All rights reserved.
T-Mobile
stick together

THE THIRD ANNUAL

ROOTS PICNIC



SATURDAY, JUNE 5TH 2010

FESTIVAL PIER, PENNS LANDING : PHILADELPHIA

FEATURING:

THE LEGENDARY ROOTS CREW

VAMPIRE WEEKEND !

METHOD MAN
GHOSTFACE
& RAEKWON

OAS • CLIPSE •

BACKED BY THE ROOTS

RACIST MAYER HAWTHORNE OJ JAZZY

BAJAH + JAY + THE COUNTRY THE JEFF

THE DRY ELECTRONICA THE VERY BEST FOREIGN EXCHANGE

EYE CREW TUNE-YARDS

PATTERN IS MOVEMENT NNEKA

AND A SPECIAL APPEARANCE BY JOHN LEGEND

okayplayer. okayafrica. LIVE NATION

BUY TICKETS AT LIVENATION.com

PICNIC PACK 4 TICKETS FOR $198

ATTENTION PRACTICING ARTISTS

Learn to share your knowledge through professional and community teaching.



Gain the educational expertise and practice required for artists to work in preK-12 schools and community sites. With the Teaching Artist Certificate program at UArts, you can enhance your skills and expand your career in just four semesters. More information is available on our website.

Register now for the Arts Integration + Collaboration one-week intensive course beginning August 2 at cs.uarts.edu

continuing**studies**
The University of the Arts

Continuing Education | Pre-College Programs | Professional Institute for Educators

cs@uarts.edu **215.717.6006**

editor'sletter
By Brian Howard

MY GREEN HEAVEN?

➤ **I'VE GOT A** gardening problem. I'm not talking about squirrels or slugs (though I have those, too). Last summer, I told you about the modest little garden my girlfriend and I planted in our South Philly rowhouse's tiny backyard. We did what most people who dabble in the green stuff do: We bought a few herb plants from a garden center, dickered with easy things like peas and lettuce, got a tiny yield from a shockingly large broccoli plant and, long after we could have expected results, threw some tomato and cucumber seeds into the ground to see what would happen (very little). We were hooked.

This year, on what I imagine to be a typical greenhorn trajectory, we're going a little overboard. We charted our available space with graph paper. Bought a phalanx of $2 waste baskets from IKEA, drilled drainage holes and filled 'em with bags of good organic dirt. Then, armed with seeds from friends, seeds from an heirloom seed catalog, seeds from last year, we upped the ante, attempting to grow:

Seven types of greens: arugula, Bibb, loose leaf mix, a hen-looking mesclun, fluffy Grand Rapids, Buttercrunch (aka sparrow bait) and a weird antleresque plant called peppercress.

Ten (!?) types of tomatoes: Cherokee Purple, Brandywine Red, Black Cherry, an odd variety called Kellogg's Breakfast, Yellow Pear and Great White from seeds provided by our friend Char of the blog Plants on Deck, and Tie Dye, Strawberry, Amish Paste and Brandywine Black from plants *You Bet Your Garden*'s Mike McGrath heaped upon us for allowing him to eviscerate my gardening misdeeds in a recent interview. (He e mails: "You killed my tomatoes yet?" I reply: "Working on it.")

Eight herbs: cinnamon basil, regular basil, parsley, cilantro, wild Zaatar oregano, fenugreek, creeping rosemary and "decorative" wormwood.

And: Sweet and hot peppers. St. Valery carrots. Peas. Violet de Provence artichokes. White pattypan squash. Romanesco, cucumbers, Yellow Wonder strawberries, figs and melons of the Charentais and Tigger varieties.

All told — including three flower boxes, three shrubs, a hosta, lemon balm, two coleuses (coleï?), a whiskey barreled-crepe myrtle and a handful of morning glories out front — we've got, as per my girlfriend's last count, something like 90 plants in the dirt (to say nothing of the pineapple top growing in my office). This is, I suppose, a lot of plants for a 5-by-10-foot backyard and the small space in front of the house.

The thing is, I need more. When we pass Queens Farm at the Headhouse market, I want to snatch up their Asian basil seedlings. I want to grab armsful of those weird hen-and-chick succulents to grow, like, on my roof. (I've never even been on my roof.) I went to the Bartram's Garden Mother's Day sale, and barely resisted a flat of San Marzano seedlings. If even half of it all grows, we're gonna have to learn to pickle and jar things, and quick. Like I said, I've got a gardening problem.

(bhoward@citypaper.net)

COVER ILLUSTRATION BY EVAN M. LOPEZ



contents
Best Summer Ever

Naked City/Bell Curve	10
Man Overboard!	11
Loose Canon/This Modern World	16
Cover Story	21
Arts & Entertainment	38
Music Picks	46
Movie Shorts	49
The Agenda/Icepack	52
DJ Nights	54
Food & Drink	61
Feeding Frenzy	64
I Love You/I Hate You	68
Jonesin' Crossword	77


A Philly Kind Of Love
PAT'S KING OF STEAKS
9th & Passyunk Ave.

Swanky BUBBLES
RESTAURANT AND CHAMPAGNE BAR
18 South Front Street, Philadelphia
215-928-1200

JOIN US EVERY THURSDAY FROM 5-7 FOR THE OLD CITY SOCIAL
$3 Svedka Drinks, Wine and Domestic Beer
Mon-Fri 5-7 Happy Hour
Go to www.swankybubbles.com for details and upcoming specials

citypaper.net

cpstaff
We made this

Publisher Paul Curcl
Associate Publisher Nancy Stuski
Editor in Chief Brian Howard
Senior Editor Patrick Rapa
News Editor Jeffrey C. Billman
Senior Writer Isaiah Thompson
Staff Writer Holly Otterbein
Associate Editor and Web Editor Drew Lazor
Arts Editor and Copy Chief Carolyn Huckabay
Deputy Arts and Entertainment Editor Molly Eichel
Assistant Copy Editor Carolyn Wyman
Contributing Editors Sam Adams E. James Beste (sports)
Meal Ticket Contributor Marie DiFelicantonio
Contributors A.D. Amorosi, Janet Anderson, Rodney Anonymous, Mary Armstrong, Nancy Armstrong, Debra Auspitz-Galler, Justin Bauer, Shaun Brady, Peter Burwasser, Charles Cain, Mark Cofta, Will Dean, Jesse Delaney, Jakob Dorof, Deesha Dyer, David Fann, M.J. Fine, David Anthony Fox, Lauren F. Friedman, Cludy Fuchs, Pitch Gaines, Julia Harte, Dan Hirschhorn, K. Ross Hoffman, Dani Kasrel, Brian James Kirk, Gary M. Kramer, Gair Marking, Natalie Hope McDonald, Andrew Milner, Michael Pelusi, Nathaniel Popkin, Trey Popp, Robin Rice, James Saul, Daniel Schwartz, David Snyder, Jon Sokenon, Amy Strauss, Andrew Thompson, Tom Tomorrow, Sam Tremble, Chaz Vandermeer, John Vettese, Kelly White, Lewis Whittington, Christopher Wink
Editorial Interns Hadley Assell, Mandy Bee, Emily Curnier, Victor Gomez, Sam Kaplan, Josh Middleton, Valerie Rubinsky, Harrison Simms, Tom Tibelli, Julia West, Amanda Wochele
Webmaster Metc Steel
Associate Web Editor/Staff Photographer Neal Santos
Systems Administrator John Tarng
Production Director Michael Polimeno
Editorial Art Director Reseca Peskin
Senior Editorial Designer Allie Rossignol
Senior Designer Evan M. Lopez
Designer Alyssa Grenuing
Contributing Photographers Michael M. Koehler, Jessica Kourkounis, Michael T. Regan, Mark Stehle
Contributing Illustrators Jeffrey Bouchard, Ryan Casey, Kris Chau, Dan Haring Jr., Thomas Pilli, Matthew Smith
Human Resources Ron Scully (ext. 210)
Accounts Receivable Coordinator Tricia Bradley (ext. 232)
Circulation Director Mark Burkert (ext. 239)
Founder & Editor Emeritus Bruce Schimmel
Senior Account Managers Robb Allisen (ext. 252), Sharon MacWilliams (ext. 262), Mia Salazar (ext. 250), Stephan Sitzal (ext. 258)
Account Managers Sara Carano (ext. 228), Natalie Diener (ext. 257), Donald Snyder (ext. 213)
Adult Advertising Sales Rick Hicks (ext. 230)
Office Coordinator Alexis Pierce (ext. 234)

citypaper.net
121 Chestnut Street, Third Floor Phila., PA 19106. 215-735-8444, Fax Line 215-735-8444 ext. 241. Listings Fax 215-575-1660. Classified Ads 215-748-CITY. Advertising Fax 215-735-3660. Subscriptions 215-735-8444 ext. 205.

Philadelphia City Paper is published and distributed every Thursday in Philadelphia, Montgomery, Chester, Bucks & Delaware Counties, in South Jersey and in Northern Delaware. Philadelphia City Paper is available free of charge. Limited to one copy per reader. Additional copies may be purchased from our main office at $1 per copy. No person may, without prior written permission from Philadelphia City Paper, take more than one copy of each issue. Pennsylvania law prohibits any person from removing printed material of any kind into any newspaper without the consent of the owner or publisher. Contents copyright © 2010, Philadelphia City Paper. All rights reserved. No part of this publication may be reproduced without written permission from the publisher. Philadelphia City Paper assumes no obligation (other than cancellation of charges for actual space occupied) for accidental errors in advertising, nor will we be glad to furnish a signed letter to the hanging public.

LETTERS & SUBMISSIONS: Letters should be brief and are subject to editing. Authors must sign their name for publication and each must contain an address and telephone number for verification, although neither address nor telephone number will be published. Unsolicited submissions are welcome but must be accompanied with a SASE if return is without.

ALTERNATIVE WEEKLY NETWORK AWN
VERIFIED AUDIT CIRCULATION

Track us down

- Op-Ed: Brian Howard, *bhoward@citypaper.net*
- News: Jeffrey C. Billman, *jeffrey.billman@citypaper.net*
- Mail: Patrick Rapa, *pat@citypaper.net*
- Food: Drew Lazor, *drew.lazor@citypaper.net*
- Arts: Carolyn Huckabay, *carolyn.huckabay@citypaper.net*
- Movies: Molly Eichel, *molly.eichel@citypaper.net*
- Calendar Listings: Molly Eichel, *listings@citypaper.net*

It's time to add Wharton to your resume.

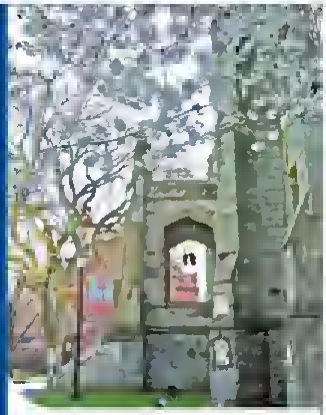
Accelerate your career with a Wharton Certificate.

Give yourself the skills and tools you need to become a business leader. Join us to learn how a **Wharton Certificate** can prepare you for success.

Wharton's convenient, flexible programs for working professionals offer the following Certificates:

- Finance and Accounting
- Entrepreneurship
- Human Resource Management
- Marketing
- Business Essentials

Credit-earning courses on evenings and Saturdays at Wharton's Philadelphia campus.



Information Session:

Wednesday
June 2, 2010

Jon M. Huntsman Hall
3730 Walnut Street
Room F95

Information Session from 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
Check-in at 5:30 p.m.

For more information or to RSVP:
Call 215.898.2888
or e-mail
wharton.wpwp@wharton.upenn.edu
and reference *City Paper*.

Wharton
University of Pennsylvania

Wharton Programs for Working Professionals
www.whartoncertificates.com

so much fun you'll need a long weekend.

event center

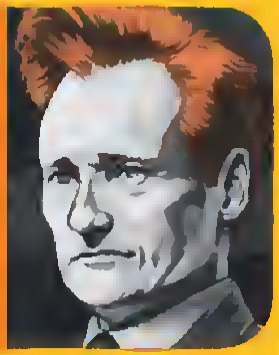
new kids on the block

friday & saturday
may 28 & 29
at 8pm



conan o'brien

sunday
may 30
at 8pm &
11:35pm



the music box

tracy morgan

friday
may 28
at 9pm



john pinette

saturday & sunday
may 29 & 30
at 9pm



$1,000,000 cash giveaway

take fun to the bank

See My Borgata Center for details.

tickets available at theborgata.com

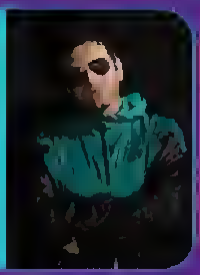
1.866.900.4TIX (4849)

Follow us on Twitter @BorgataAC for up-to-the-minute info.

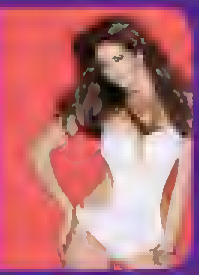
Borgata HOTEL CASINO & SPA

nights like these were made for 3-day weekends.

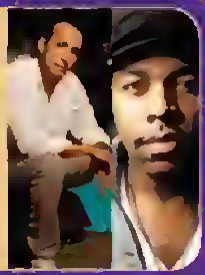
eli escobar
friday
may 28



playboy's playmate of the year hope dworaczyk
music by questlove
saturday
may 29



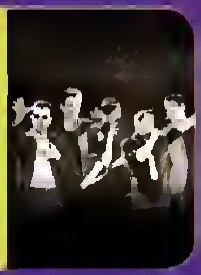
mur.mur mondays vice and d-nice
monday
may 31



mur.mur

mixx

new kids on the block afterparty
friday & saturday
may 28 & 29



live dj set by rev run & dj ruckus
sunday
may 30



summer of fun giveaway
nightlife rewards member exclusive

Win prizes all summer long including a summer beach house, jet ski and more.
Visit **borgatanightlife.com** for details.

Reserve table service at 609.317.1000.
Follow us on Twitter @BorgataEvents for up-to-the-minute info.
Get Borgata Nightlife offers. Text "BORGATA" to CLUBS (25827).

borgatanightlife.com

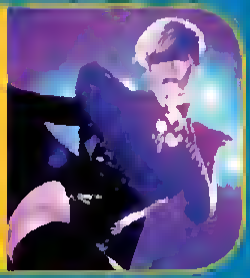
Borgata HOTEL CASINO & SPA

the biggest names just for your entertainment.

on sale may 29 at 10am

event center

rihanna
sunday
august 15
at 7:30pm



counting crows
saturday
july 31
at 8pm



the moody blues
friday
july 16
at 8pm



kris allen
saturday
august 7
at 8pm



the music box

kathy griffin
friday & saturday
july 23 & 24
at 8pm & 11pm



jo koy
friday
july 30
at 9pm



two funny philly guys
friday, august 24 at 9pm

tickets available at theborgata.com

1.866.900.4TIX (4849)

Follow us on Twitter @BorgataAC for up-to-the-minute info.

On sale times subject to change. Please visit theborgata.com for the latest schedule.

Borgata HOTEL CASINO & SPA

the naked city

thebellcurve

CP's Quality-o-Life-o-Meter

[-6] A program that gave away free meat and dairy products to the hungry shuts down, unable to keep up with demand. "Thanks a lot, poor people!" say other poor people.

[-4] The state legislature exists in a "time warp of public corruption," says a grand jury investigating the branch. "And Desmond Hume is our constant."

[-2] Unidentified powder, first found in a balloon and then later in an envelope, leads to two evacuations in two days in Center City. In fact, the dude who found the first one evacuated on the spot.

[+1] Stu Bykofsky writes that he was as "happy as a chipmunk on a log" to read a study that showed biking had almost doubled on Spruce and Pine. Also that he was "nervouser than a long-tailed cat in a roomful of rocking chairs" and "as cantankerous as a one-eyed wallaby in the last Vegemite factory in Queensland" before Michael Days rushed over and pushed his emergency reset button. Then he made sense the whole afternoon.

[+18] For the first time in 13 years, the Flyers make it to the Stanley Cup Finals. Joe Banner puts on a Green Man costume and a clown wig and starts holding press conferences for random shit.

[0] Channel 10 weatherman Glenn "Hurricane" Schwartz apologizes for his outburst after election-night coverage cut his program. "Sorry—it's just the I had this! great a change in temperature will enable the warm front to be reconvected' line that I know would have killed."

[-4] Philly 311 tweets: "The American Beverage Association spent $18.9 million in 2009 on lobbying, mostly against a federal soft-drink tax." And still, Pepsi maybe found some extra cash to possibly build us a little bitty tiny park, hopefully.

[+2] Former *Inquirer* publisher Brian Tierney leaves with a parting gift: The newspaper will be in 3-D on June 13, thanks to him. Then he begins applying blue glitter paint to his face. "Now, as per the terms of my severance, bring me my Unobtanium!"

This week's total: 5 | Last week's total: 28



EVAN M. LOPEZ

A MILLION STORIES

Now messing around with gender roles

Man, what's in the water up there in Wyoming County?

In January, we told you how that county's District Attorney's Office tried to bring child-pornography charges against three teenage girls who appeared semi-naked in cell phone pics [News, A Million Stories, Jan. 21]. The DA, **George Skumanick Jr.**, threatened the girls and 13 other teenagers with prosecution unless they attended a re-education program — during which, we shit you not, they would learn "**what it means to be a girl in today's society**" — and wrote an essay on why sexting is icky. The ACLU of Pennsylvania sued on behalf of the three girls, and Skumanick — who was voted out of office in November — was appropriately mocked.

On March 17, the girls won their lawsuit. A panel of **Third Circuit Court of Appeals** judges blocked Wyoming County from charging the girls. "An individual district attorney may not coerce parents into permitting him to impose on their children his ideas of **morality and gender roles**."

Check out what these **goobers** did next. In January 2009, according to a federal lawsuit filed last week in Philadelphia against Wyoming County and Tunkhannock Area School District officials, school officials confiscated a 17-year-old high school senior's cell phone, decided — why not — to **flip through the pictures** she had stored on it, found some racy images, suspended her for three days and shipped her phone off to a crime lab in Delaware, where the naughty pics were **thoroughly examined by lab techs** before being erased. (Kinda makes that **Lower Merion Webcam-gate** thing look tame, huh?)

Skumanick gave this student, referred to as "N.N" in court papers, the same morality-class-or-child-porn-charges ultimatum. She chose the former. (Best part: According to the lawsuit, the DA office's chief detective, **David Ide**, told N.N. that "it was a shame she had not waited until after her 18th birthday in April 2009, because, instead of getting into trouble, she could have submitted the photographs directly to ***Playboy* magazine**." Ide then ended the conversation, the lawsuit says, by promising, "I'll get your phone back," while winking at her.) But N.N. found the re-education program "objectionable for multiple reasons," and sued. Namely, she didn't like being treated like she was a victim of sexual violence or **lectured on how to be a lady** (and paying $100 for the privilege).

> There's a word for that: Evil.

Tunkhannock Area School District Superintendent **Michael Healey** told *A Million Stories* last week that he hasn't seen the lawsuit and couldn't comment.

>>> continued on adjacent page

[is so freaking flyered up right now]

A MILLION STORIES

➤ FROM THE UPDATES DESK

Two weeks ago, this insanely popular column reported on Councilmen **Darrell Clarke** and **Bill Greenlee's** proposed **Bill No. 100267**, which would force event promoters to seek permits from the Philadelphia Police Department (PPD) 30 days before every single event. Last-minute shows and pickup parties would be **all but outlawed**. The bill would also hold promoters liable for the **actions of the crowds** at the events they promote, and mandate that every permit application include a copy of the contract between the venue and the promoter, making these contracts promoter **public records**. Plus, the PPD could deny a permit for any reason and **without explanation** up to 10 days before the event.

After our report, pro-nightlife allies rallied to the cause, launching a (what else?) **Facebook group** and petition (phillymetal.com/protest). And, since Greenlee said he was open to suggestions, **Patrick Rodgers** of Dracula's Ball and Dancing Ferret booking and management decided to **take him up on the offer**.

Good news. After a meeting with Greenlee's staff last week, Rodgers says the **30-day permit** and the **10-day cancellation** rules are "dead, no longer part of the legislation."

Related, but less good: Last week we asked Greenlee's office for a list of the **violent and criminal incidents** that prompted this bill's creation. (It's worth noting that, if any club is problematic, the PPD and L&I have the authority to **declare it a nuisance** and shut it down.) His office pointed us to the Police Commissioner's Office. The Police Commissioner's Office suggested we hit up the PPD's research department. The research department recommended we call the PPD's statistics folks. Long story short, after navigating the **bureaucratic labyrinth**, we were still without answers by press time — which makes us wonder how big a problem these **rogue clubs** really were.

And we're not alone. On background, some **prominent members of Philly's promotions community** don't think it's in their best interest to work with Council, and instead want to take a more adversarial approach to killing this bill.

Rodgers, however, is sticking with his **catch-more-flies-with-honey** strategy: "Right now, I am focused on using my resources cooperatively with [Greenlee] to help **craft a better bill**. I find this vastly preferable to the possibility of having to organize protests, petitions and legal challenges if a bad bill is forced upon us."

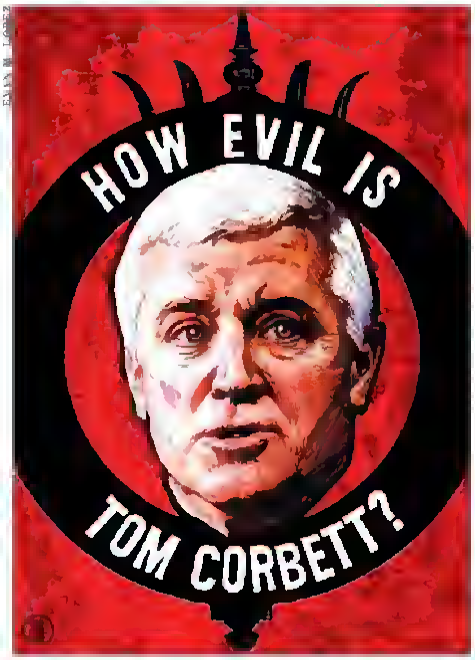
➤ THE FACE OF EVIL

By now, you've heard that Attorney General/GOP gubernatorial nominee **Tom Corbett** got a grand jury to subpoena Twitter in early May to obtain information about **@bfbarbie** and **@casablancaPA**, two users who took stabs at Corbett's politics (i.e., "Is it wrong to mix campaign work with taxpayer business? Apparently not when Tom Corbett does it") and, at the time of the subpoena, had a combined following of **191 people**.

Corbett argued that he needed his detractors' information because of "alleged violations of the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania," and left it at that, until he got some **blowback** over using his office to intimidate critics. Then, Corbett claimed that **Brett Cott** — a former legislative aide convicted in the **Bonusgate** scandal and awaiting sentencing — maintained @casablancaPA and casablancapa.blogspot.com, and that he needed those Twitter records to show that Cott was **less than contrite** about his crimes. (Cott didn't confirm or deny owning the Twitter account.) After he was sentenced to up to five years on Friday, Corbett withdrew his subpoena — which, was **pretty much illegal** even under Corbett's pretext. Under state law, grand juries can only use subpoenas to ferret out **criminal wrongdoing**, not to get defendants extra time in the pokey.

Of course, this isn't the first time our AG has used (we'll say "abused," but we'd rather not get subpoenaed) his office for **political gain**. We could forgive his minor offenses — the **chest-thumping press releases** any time his office nabs some child-porn gawker from Wilkes-Barre — but not his more mendacious activities, like when, in March, Corbett sued the federal government over the **health-care legislation** because Glenn Beck thinks it was unconstitutional or whatever. In doing so, Corbett deemed it appropriate to use your tax dollars to try to deny **30 million people** access to affordable health care so he could suck up to the **Tea Baggers**. There's a word for that. **Evil**.

This leads us to ask a very important question, which we will surely be forced to revisit before November: **How evil is Tom Corbett?** The inaugural edition of the **HEITC? Barometer™** finds him slightly more evil than Norman Braman, but not quite in Frank Rizzo/Vince Fumo territory. Yet.



ELVIS M. LOPEZ

♦ This week's report by A.D. Amorosi, Jeffrey C. Ballman, Holly Otterbein, Valerie Rubinsky and Brendan Sikwa. E-mail us at amd@citypaper.net.

man overboard!

By Isaiah Thompson

THE MALAISE

➤ **NO, I DIDN'T** vote — but my excuse is entertaining. My old polling location in West Philly had a sign out front telling me I was supposed to vote somewhere else — but not *where that somewhere else was*. Thanks to errant WiFi, I found my new location online. But I got to the new address just after 8 p.m. — and the polls (the division election judge told me, were closed.

Why couldn't they have posted the new address? I protested. A Magic Marker would have done the trick.

In response, Division Judge Catherine Blunt called me a racist and threatened to get the police if I didn't leave immediately. When I didn't, she grabbed two nearby policemen who, to their credit, let me stay. "Freedom of speech," shrugged one.

I don't blame Miss Blunt. I blame the Philly Malaise, that omnipresent funk that seems to drag this city backward even as it crawls ahead. Our elections, for example, are overseen by the often lugubrious three-person crew known as the City Commissioners. Philadelphia is the only one of the country's 10 largest cities to still have elected officials running local elections.

Does it stop there? It does not. Two more massive city functions — property and parking — have been run by giant political patronage megabots: the Board of Revision of Taxes (BRT) and the Philadelphia Parking Authority, respectively. Our city government has no appetite to end its DROP retirement plan — as Ralph Cipriano revealed [Cover Story, "The Billion Dollar Boondoggle," April 22] — it's essentially an open scam at this point. Lobbyists, who faced no disclosure laws, invaded our budget process, our Council treating the public like dollar-store customers, priced a property tax hike at 9.99 percent instead of the 12.1 percent that would have balanced our budget to the mayor's satisfaction — leading him to threaten cuts to libraries and homeless services.

After decades of planning, our waterfront's only new attraction, so far? A casino. Our resident opinionator on bicycling? Stu. Freaking. Bykofsky.

That, friends, is *malaise*.

But wait! The BRT was just vanquished in the polls, Council gave preliminary approval to lobbying and other ethics reforms, the Kensington Kinetic Sculpture Derby was awesome. Hope is not lost. In fact, I think this city will make it.

But damn that malaise, damn it.

♦ Isaiah Thompson will not abandon hope. E-mail him at isaiah.thompson@citypaper.net.

soapboxer
Jeffrey C. Billman tells you what to think

MESSAGE FAIL

MAYOR NUTTER, MIND if I ask what you're doing this Friday evening? If you're free, some buddies and I would love to invite you to our weekly poker game. Nothing big, really: some no-limit Texas Hold 'Em, maybe some Omaha Hi-Lo — a $20 minimum buy-in. Just a friendly game, a beer or two, perhaps a cigar.

But, you know, bring cash. See, your honor, after watching your attempts at pushing through your budget this spring — if we're being honest, the $3.85 billion budget Council approved last week, is basically a repudiation of you — we've come to the conclusion that you're something of an easy mark. You either don't know how the game is played, or you're not any damn good at it. (Considering the 14 years you spent on Council, I doubt it's the former.)

See, throughout the country, budget battles in these trying times tend to follow predictable arcs. Step 1: The mayor announces that the money isn't there to do everything he/she wants, so if City Council refuses to enact Tax X, he/she will be forced to make Cuts Y through Z. Cuts Y through Z are usually draconian and have popular targets — cops, firefighters, parks, etc. This is called the bluff. Step 2: The cops and firefighters unions get livid; they argue that the mayor is proposing cuts far deeper than the budget constraints demand. This is usually true, but doesn't really matter. Step 3: Cowed by peasant mobs scared of riots on the street if the police department isn't fully staffed, City Council more or less acquiesces to the mayor's demands, and creates the new revenue streams he/she requested. Step 4: The mayor declares victory. "No one wants to raise taxes, but we are doing what fiscal prudence requires."

Consider, meanwhile, what happened in Philly. Facing a $150 million budget hole, you, mayor, went to the mat for a soda tax that was dead on arrival. It had merit as a public health issue, but its budgetary benefits were meager — $14.5 million per year — and easily subsumed by the beverage industry's lobbying campaign. Council similarly eschewed your other big revenue generator, a $300 per-house trash fee, and raised about $100 million via a commercial garbage fee, a tobacco tax and a 10 percent property tax hike.

Minutes after — key word: "after" — Council passed its budget, your office released a 14-page memo detailing the cuts you'd now be forced to make. "The $22 million reduction in the [fiscal year] 2011 general fund balance proposed by City Council will create a negative cash flow ... even though the projected general fund balance remains positive at approximately $40 million," Budget Director Stephen J. Agostini wrote.

> You're alone under this sword of Damocles.

Without that $20 million padding, your office explained, the money won't be in the bank when the checks come due. More importantly, the city is still negotiating new contracts with three of its four unions, so it needs all the cushion it can find. Thus, the document outlined $20 million in cuts: $4.5 million from the cops, $3.5 million from the fire department, $2.5 million from the libraries, $1.5 million in new funding from the Streets Department, and so on.

Predictably, representatives from the police and firefighters unions balked. Councilman Bill Green accused you of being a bully.

If only. A bully would have extorted Council's lunch money *before* lunchtime. At some point before the May 20 vote, you could have held a press conference, and in the most dire of tones, warned of the calamity to come. (A little exaggeration wouldn't have hurt.) As is, you're stuck in a decidedly unhappy position. Your biggest accomplishment is the city's declining crime rate, slashing $4.5 million from the police budget may pop that balloon. And God only knows why you want to re-fight the Library Wars.

The play here, I suppose, is to force Council to pass the soda tax as separate legislation. That's possible, though judging by the first go-round, I suspect highly unlikely.

You can complain all you want that Council tied your hands, but you'll own, and own completely, whatever cuts come down the pike. You'll own them because you failed to frame the budget debate to your advantage when you had the chance, by failing to make *Council* choose between either deep cuts or tax increases.

Now, you're alone under this sword of Damocles.

See, mayor, you played your bluff after everyone had already shown their cards. And that means you're exactly the kind of card player I want at my table.

Friday night. What do you say?

(jeffrey.billman@citypaper.net)





GET PUMPED FOR SUMMER!

Summer Memberships Available Now



215.627.8GYM | SweatFitness.com

Old City | Center City | Fitler Square | Manayunk
Queen Village | South Philly | King of Prussia | Conshohocken

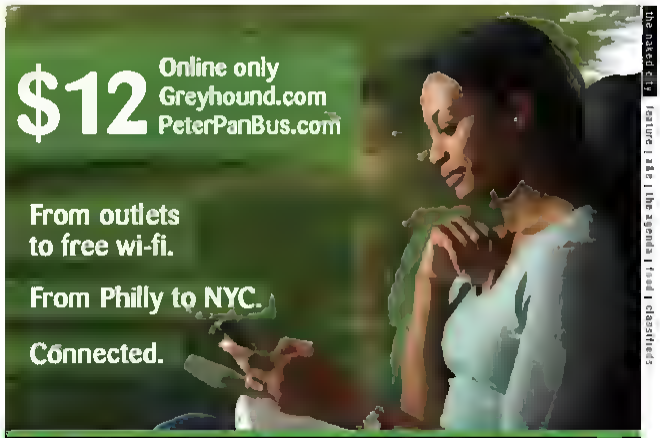
SWEAT FITNESS

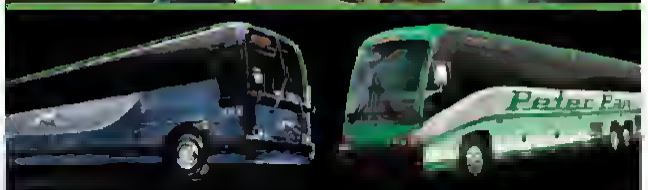
$12 Online only
Greyhound.com
PeterPanBus.com

From outlets to free wi-fi.

From Philly to NYC.

Connected.





© 2010 Greyhound Lines, Inc., and Peter Pan Bus Lines Between Philadelphia and New York City As low as $12 each way Round trip purchase not required Some restrictions and limitations apply See greyhound.com or peterpanbus.com for details. New buses limited by schedule and availability.

PHILADELPHIA ZOO

creatures of habitat

A Gazillion-Piece Animal Adventure

Enter an extraordinary world of life-size LEGO® brick animals and discover the compelling story of the earth's endangered wildlife. Each surprising animal experience will inspire explorers of all ages to embrace and protect the amazing planet we call home.

PECO

April 10 to October 31, 2010

EASY ON THE WALLET.

LESS THAN $1 A DAY!

One Year

$329

Offer ends 5.31.10

Stop in for a FREE 3 day trial.

12th STREET GYM

We deliver for our members.

BEST FITNESS VALUE in Center City!

8 LEVELS • 60,000 SQUARE FEET

MON–FRI MEMBERSHIPS FROM 49

204 South 12th Street • Philadelphia, PA 19107 • 215.985.4092

12streetgym.com • Discounted parking nearby

Advertised price is for new paid-in-full membership plus small, one-time start-up fee. 3 payment plan available for annual memberships. Several other affordable membership and payment plans available

3 MONTHS $79

Of High Quality Tanning

Soleil at 12th Street

ONE TAN ONLY $8

Offer ends 5/31/10

Always Lower Than Hollywood Tans

A real tan every time!

202 South 12th Street • Philadelphia, PA 19107

215.735.8786 • soleiltanningservices.com

Gym membership not required. Discounted parking

WE'RE THE WORST

➤ **FOR ALL THE** critics who believe the Philadelphia Sports Fan is a slack-jawed, knuckle-dragging, mouth-breathing, booze-fueled hooligan who drinks cheap beers from oversize glasses until he doesn't know which umpire he's shouting at and releases bodily fluids only if a child or Cowboy fan is in the vicinity, 2010 has been a banner year.

First there was Pukemon (Matthew Clemmens, who intentionally vomited on an off-duty police officer and his two children), then Taser Bro (17-year-old Steve Consalvi, who dodged police officers across the Citizens Bank Park field until one laid him out with a well-timed Taser jolt), Taser Bro's copycat (34-year-old aspiring DJ — never a set of words a mother wants in front of her son's name — Thomas Betz, who tried and failed to get Tasered the next day) and now, most recently, the destruction of Canadian sports writer Pat Hickey's 1999 Honda Accord. The national media dug in.

"Philly fans need to get a grip," spewed Jay Mariotti on ESPN's *Around the Horn*. "Does a month go by there without something happening?"

Naturally, those who oppose our stereotype are not taking the criticism in stride. *The Inquirer*'s John Gonzalez wrote that the Clemmens incident "allowed lazy, brainless outsiders to lump us all together thanks to the sins of a single cretin," and has dedicated much of his WPEN-FM radio job to defending the locals. "Someone should Tase Jay Mariotti for this," he tweeted, and his radio callers hopped in to agree.

Unfortunately — and as a native Philadelphian who grew up pulling for the home teams, it pains me to say this — Gonzalez and his callers are wrong. As fans, we're the worst, and it's time we admitted as much and shaped the fuck up.

Those who defend the Philly Sports Fan rely on two arguments: Every fan base has bad apples, and our bad seeds are the unavoidable collateral damage of being a passionate sports city. The single most common refrain you hear local fans using to defend their own is the ol' pass-the-buck, "A few random assholes shouldn't ruin the reputation of everyone," goes the party line, and, in a vacuum, it's correct. Unfortunately, Philadelphia is not a vacuum, and around here, assholes aren't few or random.

After all, we're the town where a criminal court was set up in the local stadium, a move that was needed to control a fan base that threw D batteries at J.D. Drew — or "J.D. Jew" as one prominent banner read — and booed Michael Irvin as he was carted off onto a stretcher. We booed Michael Schmidt for not being great enough, booed Chase Utley for grounding into a double play in the opening game of the current season, and traveled to New York to boo quarterback Donovan McNabb for the sin of not being Ricky Williams. In 1999, we booed a man named Matthew Scott because his ceremonial first pitch wasn't fast enough for our liking — never mind that Scott threw it with a *surgically replaced hand*. Hell, if you're lucky enough to attend a game with a big-screen marriage proposal you can hear the crowd boo the bride if she says yes.

Not that we stop at verbalizing our displeasure. During the 2008 World Series, we threw mustard packs at the granddaughter of Tampa Bay manager Joe Maddon, an offense that seems tame when put against what happened to Jamie Wert, a Bethlehem woman who had her face bloodied for wearing a Tony Romo jersey in January. At least she lived. Twenty-two-year-old David Sale Jr. wasn't so lucky. Sale, a Phillies fan, was beaten to death in the K Lot outside the stadium over a spilled beer last summer.

A few bad apples? Please.

> This orchard was planted on a Chernobyl swamp.

This orchard was planted on a Chernobyl swamp.

Sure, every fan base has drunks and fights and streakers, but across the nation those streakers don't inspire copycats, those fights don't end in murder, and those drunks don't *intentionally vomit on children*. I know a Cubs fan poured a beer on Shane Victorino, but you just can't compare Mount Kilimanjaro to Mount Airy.

Look, at the end of the day I would love it if Philadelphia fans were seen in a positive light, but boy are we going about it wrong. If we want the national media to stop pointing fingers, we don't need to tell them we're great, we need to do simple things like be less hostile to visiting fans, remember that pre-gaming a baseball game is slightly different than pre-gaming a frat party and keep our bodily fluids to ourselves.

You know, just make sure the second half of 2010 doesn't look like the first. Or else, stop complaining about how misunderstood we are.

–E. James Beale just booed all of you. Boo him back at e.james.beale@citypaper.net.

TATTOOED MOM / SUGAR MOM'S

530 South Street • 215-238-9880 / 225 Church Street • 215-925-8219

Pabst Blue Ribbon BEER

weekend special!

$1 PBR

16oz. CANS

EACH & EVERY

FRI

SAT

SUN

7 – 11pm



THE BEST WEEKEND DEAL IN TOWN

"Let your inner child play with your outer lush!"

FREE FUN EVERY SUNDAY at TATTOOED MOM

CRAFTS · BOARD GAMES · COLORING · CANDY

loosecanon
By Bruce Schimmel

HOMETOWN CON

➤ **THE TOWN OF** Milton, Del., home of Dogfish Head Brewery, is celebrated for its wonderful beer-making. Some in this tiny town, 100 miles south of Philly, seem eager to add world-class hamboozling to Milton's accolades.

Milton — where I've lived on weekends for nearly 20 years — is the hometown of Adam Wheeler. The 23-year-old son of a retired shop teacher has been accused of lying, cheating and forging his way into several top colleges, including Harvard — from whom he got more than $45,000 in financial aid.

The English major created such a fabulous fiction that apparently nobody checked the facts. Wheeler claimed a perfect score on the SATs, a transcript of all A's, and co-authorship of a long list of books. All apparently false. At Harvard, as charges of plagiarism piled up, the school finally dropped the hammer last fall and kicked him out. When Wheeler tried to transfer to Yale, officials there called his parents, who essentially gave up their son.

Still, many here in lower, slower Delaware were openly gloating after downstate's biggest paper, the *Delaware State News*, recently devoted its entire front page to his caper. Over a huge photo of Wheeler, the newspaper's banner headline practically congratulated their native son for having "dupe[d] Harvard."

People here will tell you that what he's accused of is wrong. But many found all sorts of ways to justify it. Call it hometown pride.

"I would have done it," said a teenage boy as he bagged groceries at the Food Lion, "if it meant I'd get a Harvard education."

"In a way, he didn't actually steal anything," claimed a local bookstore owner, himself a former academic. "The $45,000 he got was really just an internal transfer from Harvard's endowment to the school itself to pay for their incredibly high tuition."

> Wheeler has torn another little hole in the trust that holds us together.

As Wheeler's tale of cracking eggheads went from bookstore to coffee shop to supermarket, you'd think he was in line to replace Santa to ride the fire engine in the Christmas parade.

But after the cheering dies down, you have to wonder what the remarkable Mr. Wheeler has done to the prospects of other kids of moderate means or minority backgrounds. How he's hurt kids, like himself, who don't have rich parents to pave their paths. But who, unlike himself, are the real thing. For instance, Wheeler's lying bullshit has hurt my godson, Ian, who also comes from rural Delaware. Ian got into top universities (and, yes, he chose Temple Honors) because he worked hard and played by the rules. Now Ian says his achievements will be viewed with greater suspicion.

To be sure, having top institutions double-check the credentials of applicants from off the beaten path isn't such a bad thing.

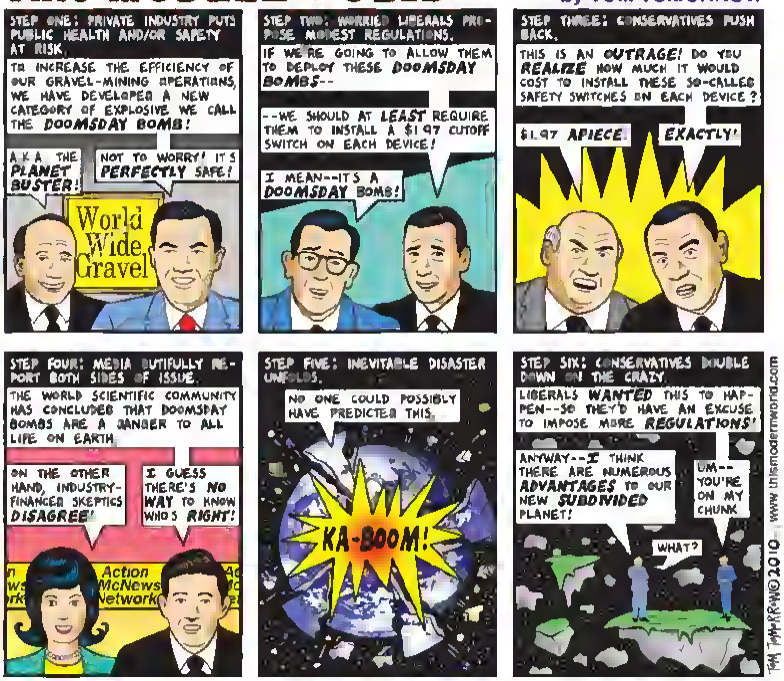
But Wheeler's abuse has torn another little hole in the trust that holds us together. And while some — like Harvard students hawking "Free Adam Wheeler" T-shirts — think it's just ducky anytime the powerful are duped, this incident has only dumped more poison into a culture brimming with cynicism.

Everyone loves a con man — until you've been made the fool. And in a small way, Wheeler has screwed us all. So, I sincerely hope that Wheeler will get a tell-all book deal. This time, however, he might try something that will do some good: telling the truth.

(bruce@schimmel.com)

THIS MODERN WORLD

by TOM TOMORROW



TOM TOMORROW 2010 www.thismodernworld.com

feedback
From our readers

MORE TO THE STORY

I am writing in response to your cover story on Maya van Rossum and the critical deepening of the Delaware River ("The Riverkeeper," Cover Story, Samantha Drake, May 20). While I certainly respect Ms. van Rossum's desire to protect the river — no one is more concerned about the future of the river than us, of course — there is a great deal more to the story than "protect the environment" or "deepen the river."

The decision to deepen the river — it is dredged every year to maintain its depth and to ensure safe passage, so the debate is over whether to deepen it to 45 feet — has been one of the most studied decisions in years. There have literally been dozens of studies conducted over more than two decades. All of them, including the environmental study conducted just a year ago, found that the deepening will have minimal environmental impact. The process continues to be monitored and, to date, there has been no adverse impact. It's also important to remember what exactly the material being removed is — sand, silt and clay, primarily. Those materials will be used to replenish a beach in Delaware and build a habitat.

All of that said, we should not lose sight of what else is important here. If we are going to ensure the future economic viability of our ports in the region, we need to deepen the Delaware channel to 45 feet. It is undeniable that ships are growing ever bigger and that other ports are able to accept them while ours cannot (both New York's and Baltimore's ports have been deepened recently). If we do not deepen the passageway, the ports along the Delaware are destined to become "niche" ports, costing thousands of good jobs. If we deepen the channel, we'll create thousands of jobs.

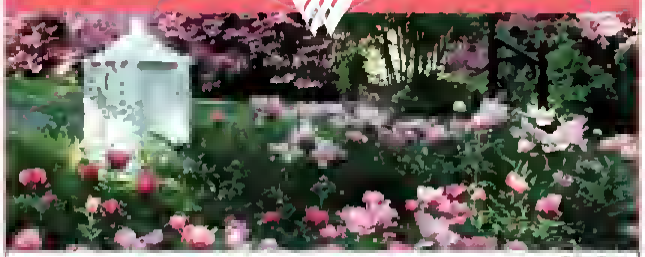
Since we can both protect and grow jobs and protect the environment, the opposition to the project is unfounded.

In closing, I'd like to take the opportunity to defend the professionalism of the experts who have been studying and reviewing this project. While their work and motives are often impugned by opponents, they are professionals who do not stand to gain from a decision about the project one way or the other. They are just doing their job and calling it like they see it. That's why federal judges, not once, but twice, have ruled the project can go forward.

John H. Estey, chairman, Philadelphia Regional Port Authority
VIA E-MAIL

◆ Send all letters to ***Feedback*** *City Paper, 123 Chestnut St., 3rd Floor, Phila., PA 19106; fax us at 215-599-0634, or e-mail editorial@citypaper.net. Submissions may be edited for clarity and space and must include an address and daytime phone number.*

WINTERTHUR



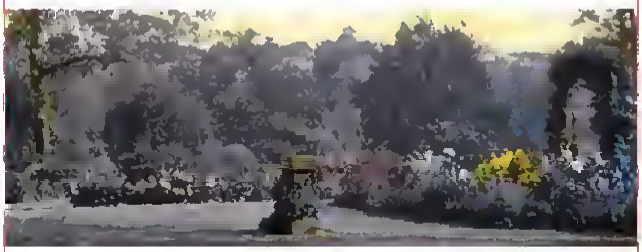
WHAT'S IN BLOOM?

Step into the stunning beauty of our world-renowned garden. Stroll winding paths or take a narrated tram tour. Discover what's in bloom at **gardenblog.winterthur.org** or call 302 888 4856.†



SUMMERTIME MAGIC—ENCHANTED WOODS

Families can enjoy a world of wonder in Enchanted Woods, our award-winning children's garden. Don't miss Enchanted Summer Day, Saturday, June 19, 11:00 am–3:00 pm. Celebrate the arrival of summer with crafts, face-painting, and music!†



LOST GARDENS OF THE BRANDYWINE

Closing July 25 • In the Winterthur Galleries

Through rare early color images and garden relics, explore the private, historic gardens of the Brandywine Valley—hidden gems of fleeting beauty, many of which have been lost to time.†

Lost Gardens of the Brandywine is funded by Mr. and Mrs. Pierre duP. Heyward, Mrs. George P. Elkins, Mrs. Edmund N. Carpenter II, Mr. and Mrs. David L. Crowe, Mr. and Mrs. Richard T. Dolan, Mr. and Mrs. Irénée du Pont, Nathan and Marilyn Heyward, Mrs. John O. Pollock, Jr. with UNIDY, and Mrs. Christopher Livingston Morris. Image courtesy of Hagley Museum and Library.

† Members free. To join, e-mail **membershipinfo@winterthur.org**

Winterthur is nestled in Delaware's beautiful Brandywine Valley on Route 52, between I-95 and Route 1
800.448.3883 • 302.888.4600 • winterthur.org

meal ticket's

NOTES FROM THE WEEKEND

Eat or drink anything *good* this weekend?

We want to hear about it!



citypaper.net/notes

INTERESTED IN HOW YOUR BRAIN WORKS?

Temple University is recruiting volunteers for our Decision Making Study. This is a study on the relationship between decision making and the brain.

If you are between the ages of 13-17 or 25-30 and have two friends willing to participate with you, email or call us for more details.

Participants will be compensated a minimum of $50 for their time.

tunl@temple.edu/215-204-6061

Temple University

This information is approved by Temple University for public display and is associated with project #12743

The best gift you'll ever give will go to someone you don't even know!

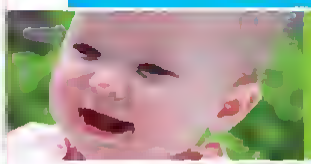
Make someone's dream come true.
Become an egg donor.

Who can be a donor?

Women between the ages of 21-32
Non-smoking | Healthy

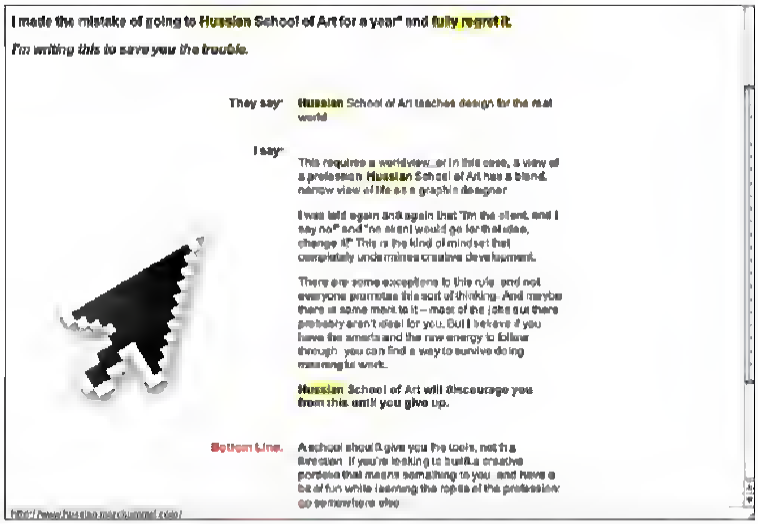
Main Line Fertility & Reproductive Medicine, Ltd.
- William H. Pfeffer, M.D.
- Michael J. Glassner, M.D.
- John J. Orris, D.O., M.B.A.

For more information please contact the egg donor coordinator Amy Fisher RN, MSN, CRNP at 484-337-8958



$5000
Donate your eggs

Egg donors are seen at the Bryn Mawr office located 12 miles from Center City and easily accessible via SEPTA.



THE SMOKING GUN Because nothing is ever really gone on the Internet, this is a screen grab of the website that prompted Hussian School of Art to sue ex-student Marc Hummel for $150,000

[litigation]

SLAPP HAPPY?

An art school shuts down a gripe site with a lawsuit By Holly Otterbein

One day in late 2008, Bruce Wartman Googled "Hussian School of Art."

As director of Hussian, a trade school in Old City, this event was wholly ordinary, except for one detail: Wartman conducted the search to investigate a rumor he'd heard about an ex-student named Marc Hummel, a rumor he dreaded was true.

Pity for him, it was. Among the first few results the search engine produced, right alongside the school's official website, was hussian.marchummel.com, a gripe site published by Hummel, a former, salty Hussian student who dropped out in '07 after two semesters.

The heading of Hummel's site said it all: "I made the mistake of going to Hussian School of Art for a year and fully regret it. I'm writing this to save you the trouble."

On the minimalist, Helvetica-laden site, Hummel pontificated for more than 1,000 words about his dissatisfaction with Hussian, calling it "bland" and "embarrassing," alleging that its teachers were unprofessional and its curriculum was myopic, and recommending that, above all, interested students "go somewhere else!"

"I didn't do it out of revenge," Hummel told *City Paper* in early May. "I just wanted people who were thinking about going to Hussian to know that I had a bad experience there." He adds that when he was first checking out the school, he found little information about it outside of Hussian's own rosy site, and wished he'd heard more independent voices before enrolling.

For a while, Hummel's site was met with nothing but positive feedback and online camaraderie. The commenter "Carissa" posted that "reading this basically made my decision for me" — that decision being to go somewhere else. Other commenters were happy to simply lament about their time at the school. "I went to Hussian and wasted 4 years of my life. I am at the same skill level I was when I was in high school (sic)," wrote "Julie nne." A commenter named "JD" added, "Great site. It's nice to see someone standing up for the disenchanted."

This is, needless to say, not the kind of thing an art school director wants to see. Which is why, nearly a year and a half later, the Hussian School of Art sued Hummel, a current Rutgers student and coffee shop employee, for $150,000. On the surface, this looks to be what's known as a SLAPP suit, or a Strategic Lawsuit Against Public Participation, in which large companies hush critics by threatening them with defense costs and court battles. Twenty-seven states, including Pennsylvania, have enacted some sort of anti-SLAPP legislation.

Hussian emphatically denies that it is a SLAPP suit, but it doesn't matter, anyway. In Pennsylvania, the anti-SLAPP law applies only to environmental cases.

➤ **DESPITE THE FACT** that Google's algorithm took a liking to Hummel's site, Wartman and other administrators ignored it for several months. But that came to an end in September 2009 when Hummel received a threatening letter from Howard M. Soloman, Hussian's attorney at the time.

> "They're doing this to silence me."

"This website is filled with defamatory statements about Hussian," Soloman wrote. "This is unlawful Internet defamation and you must shut down that site immediately. Failure to do so could result in damages being assessed against you."

Hummel didn't oblige. He did, however, add a few disclaimers, as well as a copy of the letter he received from the school, to his site. In March, the school pushed back, filing a lawsuit against Hummel over defamation and trademark infringement charges. It sought $150,000 in damages.

Wartman and Hussian's current attorney, Kevin M. Drucker, say that while some of the site was plumb opinion, a portion of it was factually incorrect and defamatory. For instance, Hummel wrote that "Most of the teachers at Hussian hold certificates, not degrees." In fact, Drucker says, "All of the teachers hold degrees."

(The school doesn't list its faculty or their credentials on its website.) Furthermore, Hummel alleged that Hussian "doesn't teach you typography at all," while Drucker says it's a required course.

Where the school sees malice, Hummel sees literary effect. "It was hyperbole," he said of the post about typography. "Obviously they touch on that subject. What I was saying is that I don't think they teach it well."

Asked why the school didn't first demand that Hummel take down the allegedly defamatory posts — rather than demanding he take down the site altogether — Drucker is roundabout. He says Hussian might have taken this route if Hummel had only been more "responsive" throughout. "He never came back and said he was willing to take defamatory things out of his site," says Drucker. "He brought this on himself."

An interview with Wartman, however, suggests that Hussian is troubled by more than the alleged untruths on Hummel's site. Unprompted, Wartman brings up a post in which Hummel wrote that the school admits 95 percent of its applicants. "They hype up the portfolio process every student must undergo to an incredible degree, making the school seem much more prestigious than it actually is."

Wartman says the school has a high acceptance rate "because we have a very specific audience. But he paints this to be derogatory."

Does the school admit 95 percent of applicants, though?

"It could be 90 or 95 or 99, depending on the year."

So you don't disagree with that part of the statement?

"I disagree with his delivery of that information. That might be factual, but he makes it seem derogatory."

➤ **IF YOU GO** to hussian.marchummel.com today, you won't find a peep about the Hussian School of Art. After removing that portion of the site earlier this spring, it now exclusively showcases Hummel's résumé and artistic endeavors. Hummel stopped speaking with *City Paper* in early May, when he began negotiating a settlement with the school outside of court. (He enlisted the help of a pro bono lawyer.)

"They're doing this to silence me," he said several weeks before ceasing contact. "I think it's pretty strange for an art school to want to do that."

Drucker, however, says "this certainly isn't a SLAPP suit."

Perhaps not. But the end result is the same.

(holly.otterbein@citypaper.net)

THE LARGEST COIN DEALER IN PHILADELPHIA

Nationally Known Professional Numismatist



WE BUY and SELL

Coins, Gold, Jewelry
Silver, Sterling
Estates and Collections

Free Verbal Appraisals

Store Hours:
Monday to Saturday
11:00 am to 7:00 pm

South Street Coin & Jewelry Exchange
619 South Street • Philadelphia, PA 19147
215-413-3900

Free Library of Philadelphia

SUMMER HIGHLIGHTS

author events

TICKETED EVENTS

JUN 1 — John Waters
Role Models

JUN 3 — Meelya Gordon Memorial Lecture
Ayaan Hirsi Ali
Nomad A Memoir

JUN 15 — Pine Tree Foundation Endowed Lecture
Christopher Hitchens
Hitch-22 A Memoir

For tickets and author information, visit freelibrary.org/authorevents
Events begin at 7:30 p.m., unless noted
Books sold by [redacted]
Parkway Central Library 1901 Vine St Philadelphia, PA 19103 215-567-4341

FREE EVENTS

JUN 8 — Novella Carpenter
Farm City The Education of an Urban Farmer

JUN 17 — Jennifer Egan
A Visit from the Goon Squad

JUN 19 — 2:00 PM
Samantha Bee
I Know I Am, But What Are You?

JUL 13 — David Mitchell
The Thousand Autumns of Jacob de Zoet

JUL 14 — Jennifer Weiner
Fly Away Home

JUL 20 — Brian May
A Village Lost and Found

AUG 12 — Rosanne Cash
Composed A Memoir



CHADDSFORD WINERY
ROUTE 1, CHADDS FORD, PA • (610) 388-6221

Summer Music Events at Chaddsford Winery

music

Brandywine River Blues Festival
Memorial Day Weekend
May 29, 30, 31
12 p.m. to 6 p.m., $25

fun

Summer Nights Under the Stars
Outdoor Concert Series
Friday Nights June 4 through Aug. 27
7:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m., $22
Reservations Recommended

Labor Dey Jazz Festivel
September 4, 5, 6
12 p.m. to 6 p.m., $25

friends

Find out more information at
www.chaddsford.com
SIGN UP FOR OUR MONTHLY E-NEWS FOR MORE GREAT EVENTS

Fencing Academy of Philadelphia, Inc
fap-fencing.com
215-382-0293
Email: fencefap@fap-fencing.com

Register now!

Get in shape with the Olympic sport of Fencing - a physical and mental workout.

Beginners start the week of June 7

Classes for adults and children.

Adult classes offered in University City, Newtown Square and Chestnut Hill

Equipment provided, fully air-conditioned

Beginner to World Champion

Instruction for children & adults since 1969

At elite location in Philadelphia.



citypaper

WIN A CHANCE TO GO GREEK AND ROCK OUT

FOR YOUR CHANCE TO WIN A COMPLIMENTARY ADVANCE SCREENING PASS FOR 2 TO SEE

GET HIM GREEK

VISIT WWW.CITYPAPER.NET/WIN

NO PURCHASE NECESSARY. PASSES ARE AVAILABLE ON A FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED BASIS WHILE SUPPLIES LAST. ONE ADMIT TWO PASS PER PERSON. EMPLOYEES OF ALL SPONSORS ARE NOT ELIGIBLE

IN TNEATERS JUNE 4

PICK A PACK

SENSATIONAL SELECTION



BAGS ★ ACTIVEWEAR
TRAVEL ★ SURPLUS
GADGETS/TOOLS
DENIM ★ OUTERWEAR
RAINWEAR ★ FOOTWEAR

J. GOLDBERG ARMY & NAVY

Celebrate 91 Years

1300 CHESTNUT ST. 215 925 9393 WWW.JGOCO.COM

IHP
INTERNATIONAL HOUSE PHILADELPHIA 100 YEARS

CELEBRATE WITH IHP IN JUNE



We're bringing together Alumni, Residents, Friends, and Civic, Business and Government Leaders for **two great events.**

★ THE GLOBAL GALA 2010 – A MIDSUMMER'S NIGHT SOIREE
Friday, June 25 at 6:30pm

IHP invites the Greater Philadelphia community to join us for our largest fundraising event of the year as we celebrate the people, culture and cuisine of England, France, Germany, Ireland, Scandanavia and Scotland

$250 for Individual Tickets ($185 tax deductible) RSVP by June 11th at http://midsummersnight.eventbrite.com Special Rate for Alumni

★ WORLDWIDE ALUMNI + FRIENDS REUNION
Friday, June 25 – Sunday, June 27

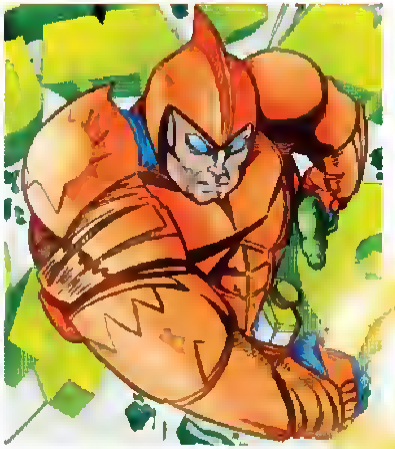
To celebrate the 100th Anniversary of the International House World Wide Movement, we invite you to a reunion of all International House Alumni from around the world

Registration before June 1st is $20, after June 1st, $35 Register at http://alumnireunionphiladelphia.eventbrite.com

For more information, call 215.895.6543 or email Simone@ihphilly.org

INTERNATIONAL HOUSE PHILADELPHIA • 3701 CHESTNUT STREET • PHILADELPHIA, PA
www.ihousephilly.org • 215 387 5125

Truth. Justice. Fun.



THERE'S NO MISTAKING him for a bird or a plane. That's Ultimate Summer Fun Man on the cover, and it's his sworn duty to uphold the awesomeness of the days between Memorial and Labor, and to defeat the nefarious Dr. Winter, cold-hearted leader of the Society of Suck.

But he can't do it alone.

Ultimate Summer Fun Man is calling on you — yeah, you — to complete every single one of the summer-funning activities he's listed on the pages that follow. You'll be Robin to his Batman, Sucky to his Captain America, Screech to his Zack Morris. Together you will limbo with the zombies at their beach party (they even brought their Speedos! P. 24)! You'll slay the spider queen Courtney Love (p. 25)! You'll lead Cleopatra to victory over ignorance on the Parkway (p. 26)!

And, of course, you will be rewarded handsomely for your efforts with the greatest summer of your mortal life. And the strip club lunch buffet (p. 30)!

Ultimate Summer Fun Man needs you. Are you up to the challenge?

—Molly Eichel
(molly.eichel@citypaper.net)

CONTRIBUTOR KEY

HA: Hedley Assaf | **MB:** Mandy Bee | **JCB:** Jeffrey C. Billman | **MC:** Mark Cofta | **EC:** Emily Currier | **DD:** Deesha Dyer | **ME:** Molly Eichel | **AH:** Alexandra Hankarek | **BH:** Brian Howard | **CH:** Carolyn Huckabay | **GMK:** Gary M. Kramer | **DL:** Drew Lazor | **GM:** Gair Marlyng | **JM:** Josh Middleton | **HO:** Holly Otterbein | **PR:** Patrick Rapa | **TT:** Tom Tiso II | **CV:** Chor Vandermeer | **JW:** Julie West | **CW:** Carolyn Wyman

ILLUSTRATIONS BY EVAN M. LOPEZ



May

27 THURSDAY Pick the studliest man around at **Shmitten Kitten's Mister America Pageant**, with help from the ladies of the local blog and former CP listings editrix Monica Weymouth, among others. Want more? Check out Julia West's story on p. 52. *9 p.m., $5, Johnny Brenda's, 1201 N. Frankford Ave., 877-435-9849, johnnybrendas.com.* **—ME**

28 FRIDAY The "an evening with" concept is a vague and funny thing. What can we expect at **An Evening with New Kids on the Block**? Fireside storytelling? Juicy tell-all anecdotes? Or just five ex-pinup boys dancing in sync, a little too slowly? *Fri.-Sat., May 28-29, 8 p.m., $89.50, Borgata Event Center, 1 Borgata Way, Atlantic City, N.J., 866-692-6742, theborgata.com.* **—PR**

29 SATURDAY Ever seen that psych study where little kids think the black Cabbage Patch is "bad" and the white one is "good"? Teach those racist toddlers what's what at the Philly **Black Doll Show and Sale**. *10 a.m.-5 p.m., $7, Pennsylvania Convention Center, 1101 Arch St., 215-787-0226, philadelphiamuseum.com.* **—PR**

30 SUNDAY Not to be outdone by its craft fair competitors, the Piazza at Schmidts is launching its thrice-annual **Piazza Flea weekends**, open to anyone who wants to sell, well, anything. Apply for a table ahead of time or just show up with your junk, and let the swap-meet begin. *Noon-7 p.m., Piazza at Schmidts, 1050 N. Hancock St., 215-467-4600, marketatthepiazza.com.* **—CH**

31 MONDAY Organize an **apartment crawl**. Map out a route and walk from house to house, each host must provide a drink, snack and party game. Example: Lynchburg Lemonade (that would be whiskey and lemonade), nachos, charades. Bonus points if you make T-shirts for everyone. **—ME**

LISTEN.PLAY.CAMP.STAY

THE 49TH ANNUAL

PHILADELPHIA FOLK FESTIVAL

AUGUST 20/21/22



JEFF TWEEDY

RICHARD THOMPSON

TAJ MAHAL

BONNIE PRINCE BILLY

THE SUBDUDES · MIKE CROSS · GANDALF MURPHY & THE SLAMBOVIAN CIRCUS OF DREAMS · CHRIS SMITHER & THE MOTIVATORS · ERIN MCKEOWN · SUSAN WERNER

PHILADELPHIA FOLKSONG SOCIETY

BUY YOUR TICKETS NOW AND SAVE 20%

WWW.FOLKFEST.ORG | 800-556-FOLK

Martin & Co EST 1833 · YARDS · WXPN 88.5 · Canary

OLD POOL FARM

UPPER SALFORD TOWNSHIP (NEAR SCHWENKSVILLE)

The 22nd Annual
DuPONT CLIFFORD BROWN
Jazz Festival
WILMINGTON, Delaware
JUNE 14-20 2010
CLIFFORDBROWNJAZZFEST.COM

WILMINGTON, DELAWARE

Monday, JUNE 14, 2010
JAZZ FESTIVAL KICK-OFF . . . check website for more information.

RODNEY SQUARE performances:



Tuesday, JUNE 15
8:00 pm - John Pizzarelli Swing 7
6:30 pm - Champian Fulton Trio



Wednesday, JUNE 16
8:00 pm - Jerry Gonzalez and the Fort Apache Band
6:30 pm - Omar Sosa Afreecanos Quartet



Thursday, JUNE 17
8:00 pm - TBA
6:30 pm - Ravi Coltrane Quartet



Friday, JUNE 18
9:00 pm - Marcus Miller - Tutu Revisited, the music of Miles Davis with featured guest artist Christian Scott
7:30 pm- JukeJoint Tight
6:00 pm- USAF Satellite Jazz Ensemble



Saturday, JUNE 19
8:00 pm - Chick Corea Freedom Band
6:30 pm - Pyeng Threadgill



Starting around noon - times TBA
Jose Carmona III
Young Artists Revue
Mark Williams Quintet
Fostina Dixon and the Winds of Change
Tony Williams Ensemble



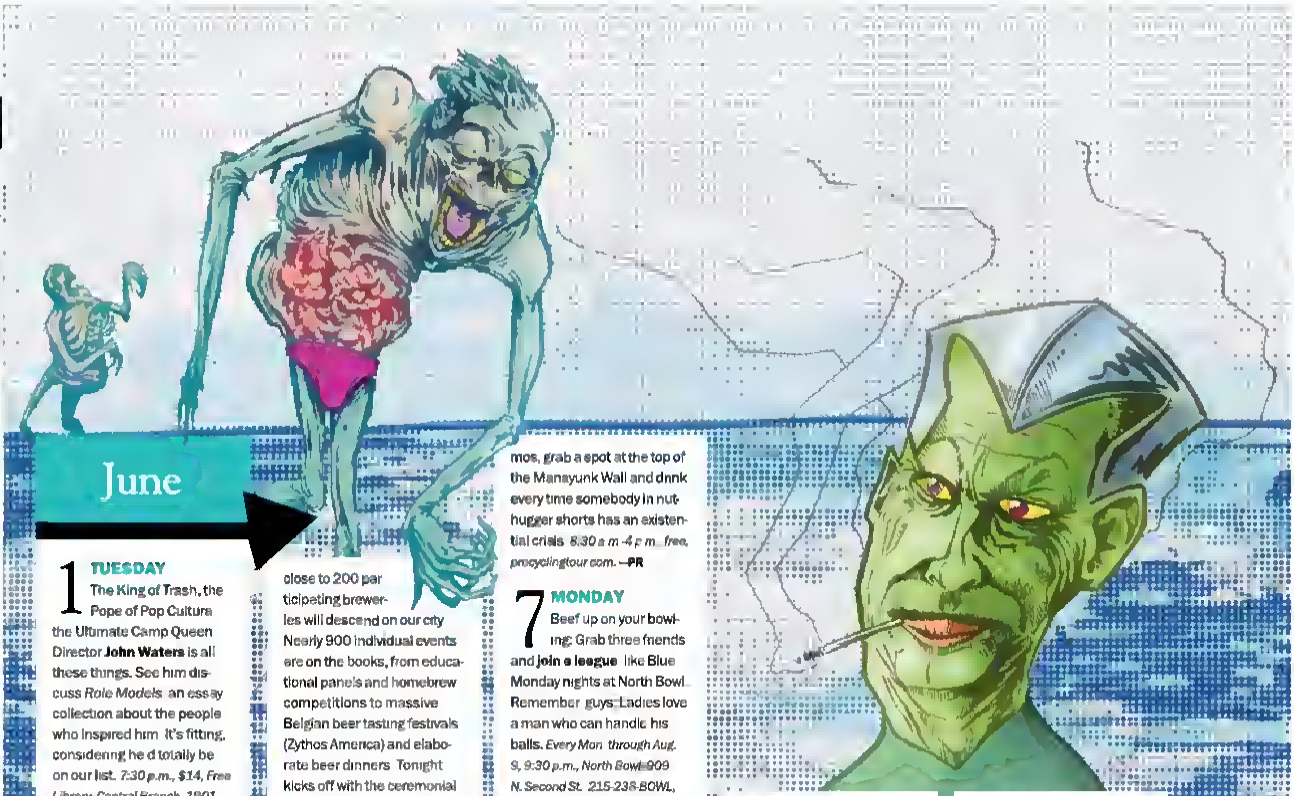
Sunday, JUNE 20
4:00 pm - Jazz Vespers at the Episcopal Church of Saints Andrew and Matthew

All events are free and open to the public, and held rain or shine. For a complete schedule, visit : cliffordbrownjazzfest.com

Wilmington
In the middle of it all

Thank You, Sponsors -
Through your generous support, we have been able to keep the East Coast's largest jazz festival alive and well for over 20 years.

DUPONT · Bank of America · WPA · THE GRAND



June

1 TUESDAY

The King of Trash, the Pope of Pop Culture the Ultimate Camp Queen Director **John Waters** is all these things. See him discuss *Role Models*, an essay collection about the people who inspired him. It's fitting, considering he'd totally be on our list. *7:30 p.m., $14, Free Library Central Branch, 1901 Vine St., 215-567-4341, freelibrary.org.* —ME

2 WEDNESDAY

Six years ago today, Ken Jennings began his 74-game winning streak on *Jeopardy!* While the college kids are away, take over the New Deck Tavern and go own a round of **Quizzo** in his honor. *10 p.m., free. 3408 Sansom St., 215-386-4600, newdecktavern.com.* —ME

3 THURSDAY

Make a mix tape for a loved one. (Mix CDs and iPod playlists are cheating.) Then buy him a Walkman so he can actually listen to it. —ME

4 FRIDAY

Philly's third annual **Beer Week** is bigger and sudsier than ever in 2010. From June 4 to 13, close to 200 participating breweries will descend on our city. Nearly 900 individual events are on the books, from educational panels and homebrew competitions to massive Belgian beer tasting festivals (Zythos America) and elaborate beer dinners. Tonight kicks off with the ceremonial Opening Tap. You can drink water every other week of the year—take advantage. *7:30 p.m., $25-$40. Independence Visitors Center. Sixth and Market streets. phillybeerweek.org.* —DL

5 SATURDAY

This should be the biggest **Roots Picnic** ever. Method Man, Ghostface, Raekwon, John Legend, Vampire Weekend, Jazzy Jeff. Foreign Exchange and on and on and you don't stop. *2 p.m., $65, Festival Pier, Penn's Landing, 201 S. Columbus Blvd., okayplayer.com.* —PR

6 SUNDAY

The citywide peloton punisher currently known as the **TD Bank Philadelphia International Cycling Championship** is the longest-running single-day/all-pro bike race in the U.S. Put some sangria in a thermos, grab a spot at the top of the Manayunk Wall and drink every time somebody in nut-hugger shorts has an existential crisis. *8:30 a.m.-4 p.m., free, procyclingtour.com.* —PR

7 MONDAY

Beef up on your bowling: Grab three friends and **join a league**, like Blue Monday nights at North Bowl. Remember, guys: Ladies love a man who can handle his balls. *Every Mon. through Aug. 9, 9:30 p.m., North Bowl, 909 N. Second St., 215-238-BOWL, northbowlphilly.com.* —ME

8 TUESDAY

Tasya Hamilton hit this year's Sundance Film Festival with *Night Catches Us*, her movie about an ex-Black Panther (Anthony Mackie) who returns to Philly after a decade in exile during the racially tense '70s. She'll talk about her movie with the Greater Philadelphia Film Office's Yvonne Jones. *6:30 p.m., free (reservations required), Prince Music Theater, 1412 Chestnut St., film.org.* —ME

9 WEDNESDAY

Finally, an enlightening park experience that won't cost you a night in the slammer. At **Art in the Open**, ogle the work of 36 artists in various media as they create in open view, or tap into your inner Picasso at one of the public art stations established along the path. *Through Sat., June 12, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., free, Bartram's Garden and along the Schuylkill Banks between the Schuylkill River Park and Fairmount Water Works, artintheopenphila.org.* —JM

10 THURSDAY

Legend has it that when Billy Penn docked here in 1682, the first thing he did was book it to Blue Anchor Tavern for a pint of beer. Accrue additional snobby beer facts at the **Historical Society's lecture on Philly's early pubs.** Drinks included. *6 p.m., $10-$20, Historical Society of Pennsylvania, 1300 Locust St., 215-732-6200, hsp.org.* —HO

11 FRIDAY

Party like you're undead (cuz that's how the humidity makes us feel) at DJ Robert Drake and Dave Ghoul's second annual **Zombie Beach Party,** featuring The Slotcars, zombie makeup stations, free zombie beach photos and, of course, prizes for best beach zombies. *8 p.m., $7-$10, Trocadero, 1003 Arch St., 215-922-6888, thetroc.com.* —BN

12 SATURDAY

Always throw paper when you should've gone rock? Let the pros show you how it's done at this year's **Pabst Blue Ribbon Philadelphia Rock Paper Scissors City League Championship Invitational**—and by "pros," we mean PBR-drunk hipsters

>>> CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGE

« CONTINUED FROM PREVIOUS PAGE

auffarang from carpel tunnel syndroma. *7 p.m., free, Cennie's Ric Rac, 1132 S. Ninth St. rpscityleague.com.* —CH

13 SUNDAY

Wizard World (starting June 11) ain't just a comic con. There's all kinds of Magic gatherings and Pokemon tournaments and D&D support groups. The befuddling guest list includes O.G. Captain Kirk, O.G. Sarah Conner, Lt. Data, Winston Zeddemore, Peter Brady and more. *$25, Pennsylvania Convention Center, 1101 Arch St., wizardworld.com.* —PR

14 MONDAY

Find an excellent people-watching spot with a friend and play **Your Team, My Team**. Arbitrarily claim people for your meaningless team, and don't be afraid to argue if you both want the same stranger. Word to the wise: Stay away from gingers. —ME

15 TUESDAY

Going on seven years, the **South Side Film Festival**'s been stocking a schedule bursting with indie and international films. South side of what? Bethlehem. Yeah, but it's worth it. For 2010, Jeff Vaclavik's labor of love focuses on Far East cinema and horror films, and the festivities open with a screening of the slasher satire *Tucker & Dale vs. Evil*. *Through June 19, $5-$50, Home and Planet, 25 E. Third St., Bethlehem, southsidefilmfestival.* —BH

16 WEDNESDAY

They're billing this as a kids' show. Good luck with that. Only the stoned-out-of-their-gourd will head over to the Mann to hear **Regis and Joy Philbin narrate *Peter and the Wolf***, backed by The Philadelphia Orchestra. *8 p.m. $10-$60, Mann Center, 5201 Parkside Ave., 215-893-1999, manncenter.org.* —PR

17 THURSDAY

What better way to raise money for a dance troupe than to show some skin? The **benefit cabaret for Nichole Canuso Dance Co.** also includes tarot card readings, comic games and a photo booth (!). *6:30 p.m.-2 a.m., $13-$60, Triumph Brewing Co., 117 Chestnut St., 215-625-0855, nicholecanusodance.org.* —HO

18 FRIDAY

Gather up your childhood buddies for the première of **Toy Story 3**, 15 years after the original took us to Infinity and beyond. Celebrate 1995-style with belly shirts, Beanie Babies and "Rachel" hair; avoid run-ins with Evil Emperor Zurg. —AH

19 SATURDAY

Ignore the chant, "We're going to get you. We're going to get you. Not another peep. Time to go to sleep," and stay up late to scream at Sam Raimi's uncut horror classic ***Tha Evil Dead***. But beware of that swamp! *11:59 p.m., Ritz East, 125 S. Second St., 215-925-7900, landmarktheatres.com.* —GMK

20 SUNDAY

A weekend of jazz, food and culture awaits you at the seventh annual **West Oak Lane Jazz & Arts Festival** (starting Fri., June 18). The two stages include both seasoned vets and newcomers. While music fills your ears, fill your tummy with traditionally cooked seafood and barbecue. *9 a.m.-7:15 p.m., free, 7100-7400 Ogontz Ave., westoaklanafestival.com.* —ME

21 MONDAY

Send a chain letter, snail mail style, to all of your friends, but don't tell them it's from you. Send it to strangers while you're at it, too. Tell them misfortune will befall them if they don't send the letter along, and see what comes back to you. —ME

22 TUESDAY

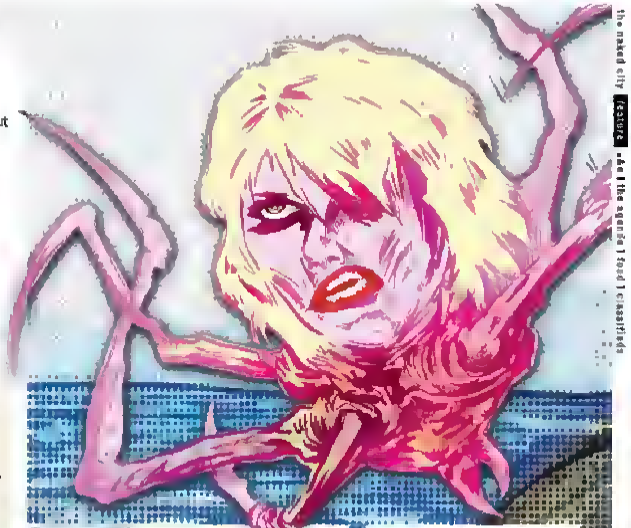
Mothers hide your sons. Courtney Love and her **Hole** are in town touring behind a new album, *Nobody's Daughter*, the title of which just goes to prove my long-held theory that Ms. Love was belched fully formed from the pits of hell-fire. *8:30 p.m., $35-$38, with Foxy Shazam, Electric Factory, 421 N. Seventh St., 610-784-5400, electricfactory.info.* —BH

23 WEDNESDAY

Whaaever Wednesday at the Institute of Contemporary Art feels more like a celebration than a gathering of hoity-toity art snobs. Tonight a event features a salon/disco/cabaret/screaming curated by Brooklyn is Burning's Sarvia Jasso. *6:30 p.m., free, 118 S. 36th St., 215-898-7108, icaphila.org.* —ME

24 THURSDAY

Don't even try to tell me you don't want to yell "I'm a golden god!" from a rooftop and then cannonball into a pool while your teenage fans stare up in awe. Celebrate '70s rock debauchery and wide-eyed idealism in Cameron Crowe's ***Almost Famous***. *7 p.m., free, Piazza at Schmidts, 1050 N. Hancock St., atthepiazza.com.* —ME



25 FRIDAY

Be led through Asian-influenced dancing and call-and-response chanting called Kirtan during **Kun-Yang Lin/Dancers** presentation of Singing In Tongues. The following guided meditation will allow you to open yourselves up to the limitless possibilities of summer. *Om. 7:9 p.m., $10-$20, Kun-Yang Lin Dance Studio, 1316 S. Ninth St., 267-687-3739, kunyanglin.org.* —EC

26 SATURDAY

Get out those white socks, black shiny shoes, red zipper jacket and studded gloves and get on the floor at Tastytreats as they pay tribute to **Michael Jackson** on the first anniversary of his death. Blame it on the boogie! *10 p.m., $7 (ladies free until 11 p.m.), with DJ Ultraviolet and DJ Lil' Dave, Fluid Nightclub, 613 S. Fourth St., 215-629-3686, fluidnightclub.com.* —DD

27 SUNDAY

Since the '60s there's been no stoppin' **Kenny Gamble**. Host Lariya St. Clair sits down with the producer, songwriter and housing developer to unearth the soulful sound of Philadelphia that contributed to his recent Lifetime Achievement Grammy. *6:30 p.m., free (reservations at itstheilleshow@gmail.com), Warmdaddys, 1400 S. Columbus Blvd., 215-462-2000, warmdaddys.com.* —DD

28 MONDAY

R.I.P. to Billy Mays, who died one year ago today. **Buy something stupid from TV** (OxyClean?) to honor his memory. —ME

29 TUESDAY

Pretend to be a member of the Factory and see **Andy Warhol**'s Polaroids and black-and-white prints featuring intimate shots of celebs from Pia Zadora to Arnold Schwarzenegger to Martha Graham. *Through Sept. 12, $8-$10, Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts, Samuel M.V. Hamilton Building, 128 N. Broad St., 215-972-7600, pafa.org.* —ME

30 WEDNESDAY

OMGZ! ***Twilight: Eclipse*** hits theaters today! Will Kristen Stewart bite her lip and look sad? What portion of the movie will Taylor Lautner be shirtless? Screw it, we can't even feign excitement. —ME

July

1 THURSDAY Who better to get artistic instruction from then Pew Arts Fellow **Anthony Campuzano**? He's opening up the second floor of the Institute of Contemporary Art all month to impart some of the wisdom he learned through his own art education. *ICA, 118 S. 36th St., 215-898-7108, icaphila.org.* —ME

2 FRIDAY Do your lame (read: married) friends a solid and offer to **baby-sit their kids for a day**. Don't tell them it's really just an excuse to go to the Please Touch Museum *(4231 Avenue of the Republic, 215-963-0667, pleasetouchmuseum.org)* without anyone giving you weird looks. —ME

3 SATURDAY For a scant five bucks, go nuts and sample unlimited ice cream and water ice from more than 20 vendors at the **Super Scooper All-You-Can-Eat Ice Cream Festival**. You don't even have to feel guilty about gorging; all proceeds go to the Joshua Kahn Fund for children's leukemia. *Noon-5 p.m. and 6-9 p.m., (also July 4 and 5: noon-5 p.m.), $5, Great Plaza, Penn's Landing, 201 S. Columbus Blvd., 856-310-5674, delawareriverevents.com.* —MB

4 SUNDAY Skip the Goo Goo Dolls concert on the Parkway because it's no longer 1997 and program your own **fantasy concert** of patriotic themed tunes like Neil Diamond's "America," Toby Keith's "Courtesy of the Red, White and Blue" and Jay-Z's "Money, Cash, Hoes." Also: Consume plenty of alcohol. It's the American way. —ME

5 MONDAY Get a bunch of friends together and **choreograph a dance**, a la Beyoncé's "Single Ladies." Throw a party and perform it for everyone you know. Wear matching costumes, of course. —ME

6 TUESDAY Don't want to "brush up your Shakespeare"? The Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival's annual big musical comedy, ***A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum***, features that famous song, but no verse. Only 90 minutes away, PSF (June 23-July 11) makes a great summer day trip — arrive early for the Green Show's free outdoor Elizabethan antics. *$35-$45, DeSales University, 2755 Station Ave., Center Valley, 610-282-WILL, pashakespeare.org.* —MC

7 WEDNESDAY Walk like an Egyptian. Sorry, boys. Susanna Hoffs and her seductive eyes aren't on display at **Cleopatra: The Search for the Last Queen of Egypt** (June 5-Jan. 2, 2011), but you can catch "never-before-seen artifacts" (which I find hard to believe. I mean, *someone's* seen them). *$19.50-$29.50, Franklin Institute, 222 N. 20th St., 877-TFI-TIXS, fi.edu.* —MC

8 THURSDAY Go gay for **QFest**: everyone's favorite LGBTQ film fest, which kicks off today. Look out for new films you definitely won't see in theaters, plus camp classics shown on a big screen. *Through July 19, qfest.com.* —ME

9 FRIDAY The Predator is clearly the most badass of movie ETs, having battled two future governors in its first incarnation, pursed the L.A. race riots in the second and taken on aliens in a couple of shitty spinoffs. The Dreadlocked Ones get another go-round when Nimrod Antal takes the helm of ***Predators***. My goal: Try not to have an excitement induced heart attack before today's theatrical release. —ME

10 SATURDAY Fight the power with a re-enactment of the storming of the Bastille at Eastern State Penitentiary, whose **Bastille Day** takes its cues from *Monty Python* instead of history. Stick around for a French-themed street party thrown by neighboring Fairmount businesses. *2-8 p.m. (storming re-enactment at 5:30 p.m.), free, Eastern State Penitentiary, 2124 Fairmount Ave., 215-236-3300, easternstate.org.* —EC

11 SUNDAY OK, the ninth season of *American Idol* kind of blew, but that doesn't mean you can't get all Justin Bieber-fanaticized with the rest of us when ***American Idol* Live** hits Philly. *7:30 p.m., $44.50-$70.50, Wachovia Center, 3601 S. Broad St., 800-298-4200, comcastlx.com.* —ME

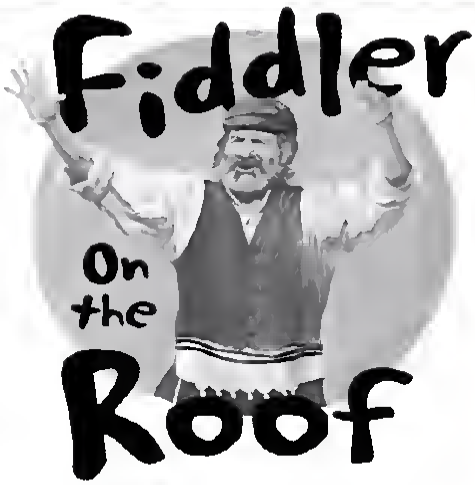
12 MONDAY Bono was supposed to have hopped down from his soapbox for a minute to remind the world that he's the lead singer of a band. You might've heard of them: they're called **U2**? But their tour was delayed a year due to Bono's back surgery. So instead of going to see them, just endlessly pontificate while wearing a pair of sunglasses and it'll pretty much have the same effect. —ME

13 TUESDAY Toe pick! If you watch NASCAR for the wrecks and boxing for the TKOs, then you probably watch figure skating for the splats. If that's the case (you sick bastard!), head over to the **Liberty Figure Skating Club of Philadelphia's Summer Competition**. *Through July 17, free, IceWorks Arena, 3100 Dutton Mill Road, Aston, 215-233-1399, libertyskating.org.* —CV

CONTINUED ON PAGE 28



Fiddler On the Roof



NOW - JULY 18

FOR TICKETS VISIT: WalnutStreetTheatre.org ticketmaster

OR CALL 215-574-3550 or 800-982-2787

1809 • CELEBRATING 200 YEARS • 2009

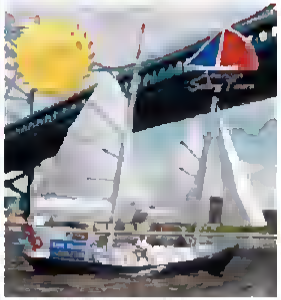
WALNUT STREET THEATRE

AMERICA'S OLDEST THEATRE • PHILADELPHIA'S MOST POPULAR THEATRE COMPANY

Proudly Supported by Independence Business Media

Media Sponsors B-101 10.5

SAIL PHILLY



Enjoy 90-minute sailing tours on the Chinese Junk rigged schooner

SUMMER WIND

History Sail $35:
Explore Philly's maritime past.

Tropical Sail $35
It's a beach music party!

Sunset Sail $40
Philly's most romantic evening

215-900-7758

americansailingtours.com

American Sailing Tours

Pier 24 Phila. Marine Center
401 N. Columbus Blvd.
Philadelphia, PA 19123



Urban Boot Camp

The best outdoor workout in Philadelphia!

Morning, Evening and Weekend Classes available in the Art Museum area

Visit **www.Core-Fit.com** for class schedule. Mention this ad for a $5 discount on your first class!

CoreFitness
SMARTER LIVING

The premiere alternative to traditional gyms
267-738-0536 • info@Core-Fit.com

CAMP DISCO

FEATURING 3 NIGHTS OF THE DISCO BISCUITS

JULY 15-17 2010

INDIAN LOOKOUT COUNTRY CLUB

MARIAVILLE, NY - 20 MINS FROM ALBANY

LCD SOUNDSYSTEM LIVE • WEEN • THIEVERY CORPORATION LIVE

METHOD MAN, GHOSTFACE & RAEKWON "WU MASSACRE" • GIRL TALK • BASSNECTAR • PRETTY LIGHTS

BREAK SCIENCE W/SPECIAL GUEST TALIB KWELI • MAJOR LAZER • DIPLO • AEROPLANE • RUSKO • HOLY FU*K • CARIBOU

THE NEW DEAL • SUNRISE SILENT DISCO • THE ALBUM LEAF • DIESELBOY • KILL THE NOISE

BROTHERS PAST • GIFT OF GAB OF BLACKALICIOUS • RAQ • SOJA • FUTURE ROCK • FELIX CARTAL • EMANCIPATOR • KING BRITT • TIPPER • TELEPATH • TWO FRESH • BEATS ANTIQUE

THE BLACK SEEDS • ORCHARD LOUNGE • RUBBLEBUCKET • SPIRITUAL REZ • ESKMO • WELDER • SUB SWARA • BIG GIGANTIC • MIMOSA • DEREK PLASLAIKO • DUBSKIN • EARL GREYHOUND

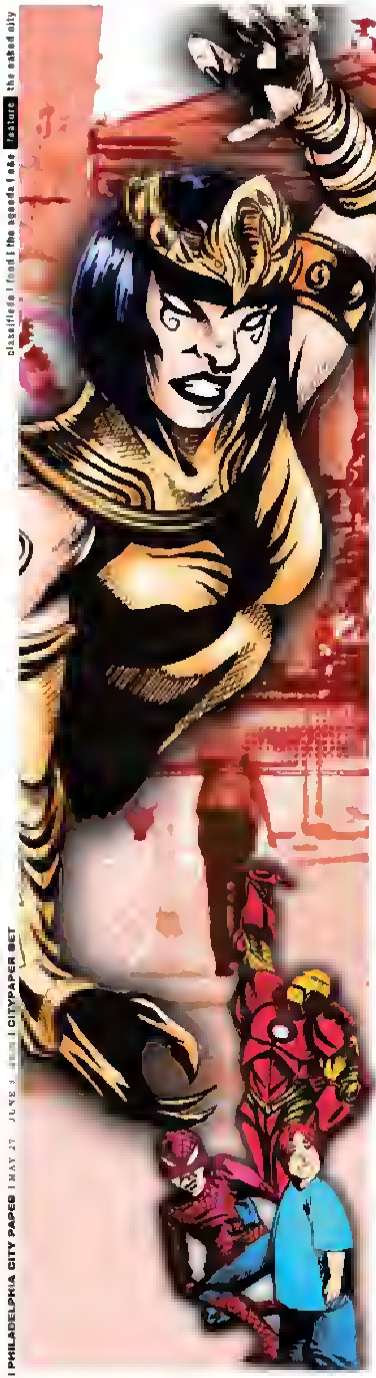
THE CONSTELLATIONS • MORNING TELEPORTATION • NOBODY BEATS THE DRUMA • C-MON & KYPSKIWOODHANDS • GRIMACE FEDERATION • JUSTIN PAUL • LEE MAYJARS? • DJ EVERYDAY

AND MORE TO BE ANNOUNCED IN THE COMING WEEKS

200 ACRES • 4 STAGES • DJ TENT • LATE NIGHT DANCE TENT • LOCAL ARTIST & PERFORMING ARTS STAGE

CHECK OUT THE FULL LINEUP AT campdisco.net

MCP VOICE LIVE.com PEX



>>> CONTINUED FROM PAGE 26

14 WEDNESDAY Make like *The Deer Hunter* and play **Nerf Gun Russian Roulette**. With a multi-chamber Nerf gun (we suggest the Nerf N-Strike Maverick $8.99), sit in a circle, spin the chamber and take a shot until all but one of you is eliminated. For more fun: Add a shot of boxed wine every time you survive a round. —ME

15 THURSDAY LYAO at the **ComedySportz 26th annual World Championship**. It hits Philly for the first time and is hosted by our long-running — 17 years! — local troupe of family-friendly improvisors. *7 and 9:30 p.m., $18 (single show)-$100 (event pass) World Café Live, 3025 Walnut St., 215-222-1400, worldcafelive.com.* —MC

16 FRIDAY ***Walking with Dinosaurs*** makes a live appearance in Philly (July 14-18) with 17 life-size dinos, from the T. Rex to personal fave the Ankylosaurus. Please, like your inner 7-year-old, isn't having a shit fit right now. *$19.50-$69.50 Wachovia Center, 3601 S. Broad St., 800-298-4200, dinosaurlive.com.* —ME

17 SATURDAY The final part of Pierre-Auguste Renoir's career was what made him a legend. Go see it all at PMA's **"Late Renoir"** (June 17-Sept. 6), which includes about 80 works by the artist and 20 from young bucks like Picasso who learned from the master. *$24, Philadelphia Museum of Art, 2600 Ben Franklin Parkway, 215-763-8100, philamuseum.org.* —ME

18 SUNDAY Ten-hut! The **Merrell National Down & Dirty Mud Run** is coming to Philly this summer. Choose between 5K and 10K, and be prepared to put those boot-camp workouts to good use. There'll be obstacles, climbs, water trudging and lots of mud. Leave the iPod at home. *8 a.m., $45-$70, 2000 Belmont Mansion Drive, downanddirtymudrun.com.* —CH

19 MONDAY Drive a Mini Cooper convertible (from Zipcar for $11 an hour or $89 for the day) to eleventh-generation-family-owned **Woodside Farm Creamery** in Delaware for super-premium ice cream from on-premises Jersey cows. *Daily through late Oct., noon-6 p.m., Woodside Farm Creamery, 378 North State Road, Newark, Del., 302-239-9847, woodsidefarmcreamery.com; 866-494-7227/zipcar.com.* —CW

20 TUESDAY There's nothing stingy about ***The Miser*.** Commonwealth Classic Theatre Co. tours Moliere's comedy through parks all through July, stopping at East Falls' McMichael Park (at the turtle) tonight. Bring lawn chairs, snacks and a sense of humor. *7 p.m., free, McMichael Park, Midvale and Henry avenues, 610-202-7878, commonwealthclassictheatre.org.* —MC

21 WEDNESDAY If today's **Manchester United vs. Philadelphia Union** game was a movie, the evil Man U would overtake the scrappy underdog Union team until an inspirational speech and a secret play pushed our boys to victory. But this isn't a movie, so feel free to yell "The Happy Mondays suck!" a lot. *7:30 p.m., $30-$225 Lincoln Financial Field, 1020 Pattison Ave., 800-736-1420, lincolnfinancialfield.com.* —ME

22 THURSDAY Happy birthday **S.E. Hinton!** Dress up in your best greaser outfit and go find some socs to beat up. —ME

23 FRIDAY Go all Demi and Swayze for **Date Night at the Clay Studio**. All you have to bring is the Righteous Brothers. *Every third Fri., 7 p.m., $15, Clay Studio, 139 N. Second St., 215-525-3463, theclaystudio.org.* —ME

24 SATURDAY Booze, BBQ and the best storyteller in town — it's all at **First Person Arts Summer Grand Slam and Block Party**, the org's first summertime competition. Tunes are provided by BK's Peculier Gentlemen, the tales are provided by the best of the best. *5 p.m., $15-$30, Painted Bride, 230 Vine St., 267-402-2055, firstpersonarts.org.* —ME

25 SUNDAY Considering I'm the whitest person I know, it would make sense to avoid **¡Cuba!'s weekly salsa dancing night** like the plague. Despite the gales of laughter every time I try to shake it, I enjoy sangria, lechon asado and perhaps the best flan in town. *Every Sun., 5 p.m. 12:30 a.m., free-$5, ¡Cuba! Restaurant, 5609 Germantown Ave., 215-242-4422, myCubanrestaurant.com.* —JCB

26 MONDAY You know that thing you always lie about having seen/read/listened to because you're tired of hearing "You haven't seen/read/listened to *that*?!"? Today is the day you **tackle that ignored cultural classic.** —ME

27 TUESDAY Just say it out loud: **frolf**. Frisbee golf to the uninitiated has the same rules as golf, just with a Frisbee instead of ball and stick. Lucky for you, there's a course right in Fairmount Park. Just try not to giggle too much every time you say frolf. *Sedgeley Woods Disc Golf Course, Reservoir Drive, 33rd and Oxford streets, fairmountpark.org.* —ME

28 WEDNESDAY Break out the babydoll dresses and combat boots for the resurrection of lady fest **Lilith Fair**, featuring Kelly Clarkson, Sarah McLachlan and whoever the rest of the people on the bill are. *Time and Price TBA, Susquehanna Bank Center, 1 Harbor Blvd., Camden, N.J., lilithfair.com.* —ME

29 THURSDAY ***Planet Earth* Live** puts the mesmerizingly beautiful BBC special on a really big screen. The Philadelphia Orchestra does the music. Mother Nature does the special effects. *8:30 p.m., $10-$55, Mann Center, 5201 Parkside Ave., 215-893-1999, manncenter.org.* —PR

30 FRIDAY Clean out your closets and hold a **sidewalk sale**. Remember: Money in your pocket is better than crap in your closet, so keep it cheap and post your ad on Craigslist the night before so you'll be ready for the early birds in the morning. —ME

31 SATURDAY Get up crazy early and head to New Hope for **Rice's Market**, an outdoor flea market full of stuff you didn't know you had to have. *Every Tue. and Sat. 7 a.m. 1 p.m., free, 6326 Greenhill Road, New Hope, 215-297-5993, ricesmarket.com.* —ME

SUMMER ARTS CAMP
JUNE 21-JULY 30

ALSO OFFERING:

- Over 40 Creative Arts Classes
- Music Program (Guiter, Drum, Vocals, Bass, Keyboard and private lessons)
- Yoga every Tuesday 6-7 & 7:30-8:30
- Friday Night "Girls Night Art on the Town"
- Children's Themed Birthday Parties

3rd Annual Lehigh Avenue Arts Festival September 25th 12:00
Now accepting vendor registration

PORTSIDE ARTS CENTER
Creative Arts Instruction

2531 E. Lehigh Avenue | 215-427-1514
www.PortsideArtsCenter.org





BRIGGS | AUCTION, INC SINCE 1932

Auctions • Appraisals • Real Estate • Celebrating 78 Years! • AU000068-L



Fun - Funky - Interesting - Unique
Vintage - Modern - Green

Find a fascinating array of furnishings, art, jewelry, and more to decorate you or your space

Weekly, Public Variety Auctions
Every Friday at 5:00pm
Preview all day Friday

Located across from the Booth's Corner Farmer's Market on PA Rt. 491 at Rt. 261

1315 Naamans Creek Rd
Garnet Valley, PA 19060
610.566.3136
www.briggsauction.com

AMERICA-ITALY SOCIETY OF PHILADELPHIA

SUMMER CAMP FOR SENIORS
6/14 7/15, Mon, Wed, and Thu, 9:30-11:30am $290

INTENSIVE WEEK
Mon to Fri 9:00am to 12:15pm, Intermediate level 6/21 6/25
Advanced level 6/28-7/2, Beginner level 7/12-7/16 $250

SUMMER ITALIAN CLASSES
July 19th – September 24th $290

ITALIAN FOR BUSINESS
Monday, 5:30 – 7:30 pm, 7/19-9/24, In Italian at the Intermediate level $290
Grammar Workshops on selected Mondays

ALSO
Classical Music Concerts, Contemporary Italian Movies, Lectures, Fall Children class and Fun!

1420 WALNUT STREET, SUITE 310
215-735-3250 INFO@AISPHILA.ORG WWW.AISPHILA.ORG



August

1 SUNDAY Car buffs and curious minds unite! Locals bring their antiques, muscle and unique cars for a celebration of auto appreciation at the **DooWop Car Show & Street Festival**. Fabian would be so proud. *Noon-5 p.m., free, East Passyunk Avenue between McKean and Dickinson streets, visiteastpassyunk.com* —MA

2 MONDAY Do a daring stunt, write a hilarious sketch or just make an ass out of yourself...It doesn't matter but today you will **become a YouTube sensation** —ME

3 TUESDAY The NBA was founded today in 1949. **Play a pickup game** at your local court and try to keep the shit-talking of the Sixers to a minimum —ME

4 WEDNESDAY British nannies — hellacious neat-freak warlocks or merely impish phantasms from the Tidiness Dimension? No one knows. But there may be some clues at Bryn Mawr Film Institute's ***Mary Poppins* Sing-Along**, during which Bloody Mary's words are shouted back at her in defiance. *7 p.m., $9.50, Bryn Mawr Film Institute, 824 W. Lancaster Ave., Bryn Mawr, 610-527-9898, brynmawrfilm.org.* —PR

5 THURSDAY Discover ***The Secret of Sherlock Holmes*** in Jeremy Paul's original drama based on Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's famous creation at People's Light & Theatre Co.'s beautiful Malvern campus. This time, the mystery is personal: Secret's story explores the friendship between Holmes (Peter DaLaurier) and Watson (Mark Lazar) and a case that threatens their bond. *7:30 p.m., $35-$38, 39 Conestoga Road, Malvern, 610-644-3500, peoplestlight.org.* —MC

6 FRIDAY Cornell mathamatician Daina Taimina's book *Crocheting Adventures with Hyperbolic Planes* won the 2009 Bookseller/Diagram Prize for Oddest Title of the Year. Find out what the hell she wrote about when she lectures on **Crocheting the Hyperbolic Plane**. *6-7:30 p.m., $20, Fleisher Art Memorial, 719 Catharine St., 215-922-3456, fleisher.org* —ME

7 SATURDAY Break out your Hawaiian shirt, sip margaritas and wail about how it's all your fault at the **Mango Mac's all-day tailgate party** before the Jimmy Buffett show that night. Skip the Buffett, though. You're only there for the booze. *10 a.m., Susquehanna Bank Center, 1 Harbor Blvd., Camden, N.J., 215-336-2000, thamangomen.com* —TT

8 SUNDAY Always wanted to do that pig-on-a-spit daal like you saw in the movies? Head to the Italian Market, where you'll pick up **a whole roast pig** at Cannuli's (937 S. Ninth St., 215-922-2988, cannulismeats.com). Owner Charlie Cannuli will even help you out and give you his special recipe. Porkers range from $185 to $410. —ME

9 MONDAY Make like Charles Bronson and **go to a shooting range**, like South Philly's Firing Line Inc. (1532 S. Front St., 215-336-1710). Just try to keep the revenge fantasies in check. —ME

10 TUESDAY Free air-conditioning, all-you-can-eat wings and, of course, titties. Go to a **strip club buffet**. You know you want to. —ME

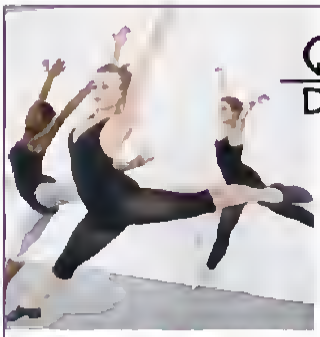
11 WEDNESDAY Crack up at this outdoor screening of the hilarious pre-coda Marx Brothers comedy ***Animal Crackers***. Bring your lawn chairs, blankets, beveragas and snacks — animal crackers perhaps? Capt. Spaulding (Groucho Marx) would suggest a hot fudge sundae on rye bread. *8:30 p.m., free, International House, 3701 Chestnut St. (front courtyard), 215-895-6555, ihousephilly.org.* —GMA

12 THURSDAY Remember that pet piglet your parents wouldn't let you have because your house was no place for your own Wilbur or Babe? Make up for the summers you didn't spend on the farm at the **21st annual Pennsylvania Dutch Festival**, featuring traditional foods and Amish buggy rides. *Through Sat., Aug. 14, 8 a.m.-5 p.m., pay as you go, Reading Terminal Market, 12th and Arch streets, 215-922-2317, readingterminalmarket.org.* —HA

13 FRIDAY At **Carnivolution**, enjoy belly dancers, perverted puppets, freak shows and all the eerie coolness of an old-school carnival in a community art garden. Visual punks the Hydrogen Jukebox provide the tunes. *Every second Fri. through October, 8-11 p.m., $8, Ellen Powell Tiberino Memorial Museum, 3813 Hamilton St., 215-386-3784, tiberinomuseum.org.* —MB

14 SATURDAY Burlesque cabaret meets art school?! Throw together a wild assortment of local models, random competitions, art supplies and soma drink-while-you-draw action. **Dr. Sketchy's Anti-Art School** is way better than regular art school. *3 p.m., $15, World Café*

>>> CONTINUED ON PAGE 32



GWENDOLYN BYE
DANCE CENTER

Summer Programs 2010

Performing Arts Camp
Ballet & Dance Intensive
Evening Workshops
Performances and more!

SIX WEEKS STARTS JUNE 28
AGES 3 TO ADULTS

Ballet • Modern • Jazz • Tap • Hip-Hop
Musical Theater • Professional Faculty

University City Location: 3611 Lancaster Ave. Philadelphia
215-222-7633 • www.gbyedance.org

Go Swedish! Smörgåsbord and Beyond

Opening on June 6, 2010 – On View to January 30, 2011

The quickest way to the heart of a culture is through the stomach

Explore Swedish cuisine and the dynamic role of food in Sweden and Swedish American culture



EXHIBIT OPENING
June 6th 4-6pm

1900 Pattison Ave
Philadelphia, PA 19145
www.americanswedish.org
(215)389-1776

AMERICAN SWEDISH HISTORICAL MUSEUM

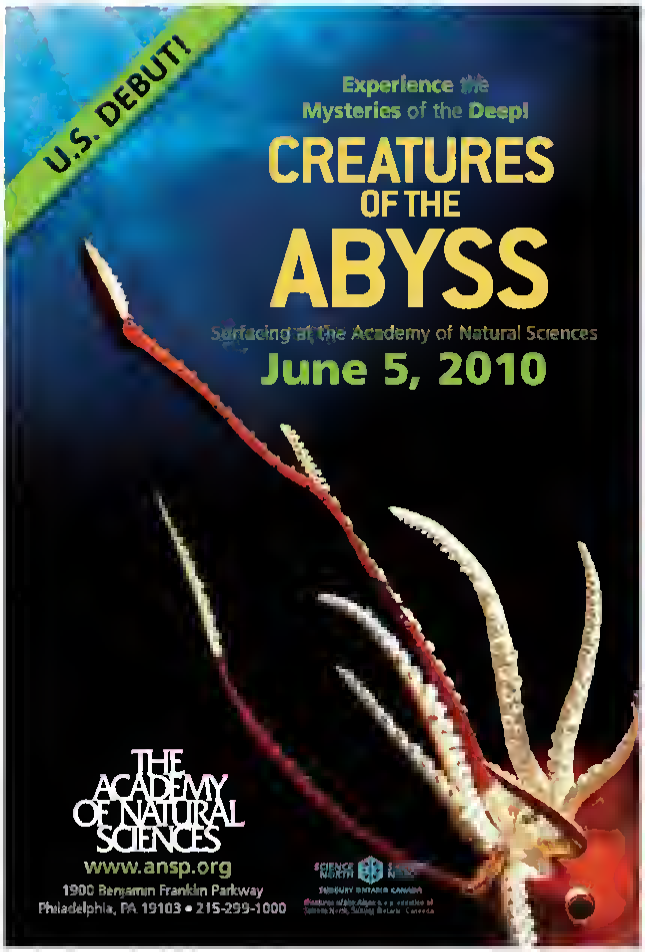
U.S. DEBUT!

Experience the Mysteries of the Deep!

CREATURES OF THE ABYSS

Surfacing at the Academy of Natural Sciences

June 5, 2010

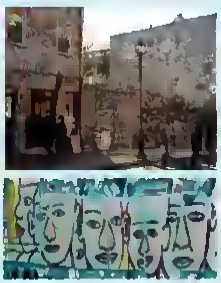


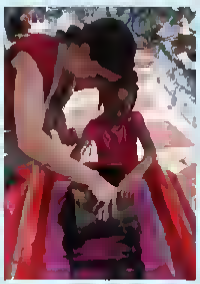
THE ACADEMY OF NATURAL SCIENCES
www.ansp.org
1900 Benjamin Franklin Parkway
Philadelphia, PA 19103 • 215-299-1000

"A top Philly attraction!" –The New York Times

PHILADELPHIA'S MAGIC GARDENS
www.phillymagicgardens.org

Explore Isaiah Zagar's mosaic masterpiece covering 3 city blocks!





Join us for:
- Family programs
- Tours
- Mosaic workshops
- Exhibitions
- Monthly concerts
- And much more!

1020 South Street,
Phila., PA 19147
215.733.0390

FIRST PERSON ARTS PRESENTS

SUMMER GRAND SLAM AND BLOCK PARTY!

Cheer for the winners of our monthly StorySlams when they compete to see who's the best storyteller of them all!

SAT 7/24 8PM

BLOCK PARTY STARTS UP AT 5PM!

Celebrate our first Summer Grand Slam with a block party featuring bbq, booze, and retro rock from Peculiar Gentlemen

PAINTED BRIDE ART CENTER

for tix and info, visit firstpersonarts.org or call 267-402-2055

>>> CONTINUED FROM PAGE 30

Live, 3025 Walnut St., 215-222-1400, drsketchyphilly.com —QM

15 SUNDAY

You ready for this? Because you're going on the **Ultimate Summer Fun Karaoke Challenge**, where you'll sing a different song in a different location every damn night of the week. Tonight, it's Tom Waits' "The Piano Has Been Drinking" at Locust Bar. *7 p.m.-midnight, free, Locust Bar, 235 S. 10th St., 215-925-2191.* —ME

16 MONDAY

Karaoke Challenge Day 2. Give us your best sneer with the Ramones' "Beat on the Brat" at Tritone. *9:30 p.m.-1:30 a.m., free. Tritone, 1508 South St., 215-545-0475, tritonebar.com* —ME

17 TUESDAY

Karaoke Challenge Day 3: Head to Port Richmond for Louis Prima/David Lee Roth's classic crooner "Just a Gigolo" at My Blue Heaven. *9 p.m., free, My Blue Heaven, 2762 E. Pacific St., 215-634-9478.* —ME

18 WEDNESDAY

Karaoke Challenge Day 4: Aptly belt out a-ha's "Take on Me" at New Wave Café. *10 p.m.-1:30 a.m., free. New Wave Café, 784 S. Third St., 215-922-8484, newwavecafe.com.* —ME

19 THURSDAY

Karaoke Challenge Day 5: Put some Latin flavor into Madonna's "La Isla Bonita" at La Isla Verde Café. *9:30 p.m.-1:30 a.m., free. 2725 N. American St., 215-426-3600, islaverdecafe.com.* —ME

20 FRIDAY

Karaoke Challenge Day 6: Ray's Happy Birthday Bar is a classic, so take a spin through something timeless yourself (just make sure you don't step on Skinny Tony's rendition of "Don't Stop Believin'"). Slip on Neil Diamond's "Sweet Caroline" and see how it feels. *10 p.m.-2 a.m., free, Ray's Happy Birthday Bar. 1200 E. Passyunk Ave., 215-365-1169, thehappybirthdaybar.com.* —ME

21 SATURDAY

Karaoke Challenge Day 7: Close out this epic week by bringing out your best bud for a duet of Queen and David Bowie's "Under Pressure" at Westy's. *10 p.m.-1:30 a.m., free, Westy's Tavern, 1440 Callowhill St. 215-563-6134* —ME

22 SUNDAY

Now in its seven millionth year, the **Philadelphia Folk Festival** (starting Fri., Aug. 20) returns to Schwenksville. To round out your weekend, see the likes of Bonnie "Prince" Billy & the Cairo Gang, Taj Mahal and Jeff Tweedy while you unsuccessfully try to re-create Woodstock. *$8-$145, 1323 Salford Station Road, Schwenksville. pfs.org.* —ME

23 MONDAY

Hold a **Night of 1,000 Tattoos party**. Collect as many different ones as possible—from sparkly fairies to flaming guitars—and apply (we suggest a Sham Wow for this part of the process). The person who can fit the most temp tats on her body wins a huge jar of cold cream so she can scrub 'em all off. —ME

24 TUESDAY

Remember the smoke monster and the polar bear and the button and the guy who says "Dude" and the hot pregnant lady? Today ***Lost: the Complete Collection*** comes out on DVD/Blu-Ray, so, you know, there might be clues. Probably not. —PR

25 WEDNESDAY

Skip the roses and smell the parfums at Longwood Gardens' **Making Scents: The Art and Passion of Fragrance**. Learn about the flora used to make your fave perfumes (and maybe learn how to make some bootleg Chanel No. 5). *Through Sun., Nov. 21, 9 a.m.-5 p.m., $6-$16, 1001 Longwood Road, Kennett Square, 610-388-1000, longwoodgardens.org* —ME

26 THURSDAY

Damn, you've had a hard summer so far. Take a break from all of these crazy activities and **float down the Delaware**. Tell the Famous River Hot Dog we said "What's up?" *Delaware River Tubing, 2998 Daniel Bray Highway, Frenchtown, N.J., 908-996-5386, delawarerivertubing.com.* —ME

27 FRIDAY

Before rapper **Thee Phantom** takes over Carnegie Hall, he's stopping by the Rotunda to perform and shoot the video for his single "B-Boy Meets Beethoven." Grab your old-school gear and come on down. *8 p.m., free, Rotunda, 4014 Walnut St., 215-573-3234, therotunda.org.* —DD

28 SATURDAY

Learn about all things lizard at the **East Coast Reptile Super Expo**. Just try not to come home with too many pet iguanas. *9 a.m.-4 p.m., $8, Greater Philadelphia Expo Center, 100 Station Road, Oaks, 484-754-3976, phillyexpocenter.com.* —ME

29 SUNDAY

Returning after a year hiatus, **Unity Day** is back with an array of music superstars, indie vendors, corporate booths and swarms of people lined up for the greasy but yummy fish platters. Word to the wise—bring your own water. *10 a.m.-9 a.m., free, Benjamin Franklin Parkway, unitydayontheparkway.org.* —DD

30 MONDAY

The city's only gay-themed theater, Mauckingbird, thrilled audiences with Shakespeare's *R&J* two years ago, and promises gender bending comedy with ***A (Queer) Midsummer Night's Dream***. This time, the fairies might really be, um, fairies. *Aug. 20-Sept. 12, Randall Theatre at Temple University, 1301 W. Norris St., 215-923-8909, mauckingbirdtheatreco.org.* —MC

31 TUESDAY

Wynton Marsalis and Cecilie Licad provide live accompaniment for **Louis**. Dan Pritzker's silent film pays homage to down-and-dirty turn-of-the-century New Orleans and jazz. *8 p.m., $45-$65, Keswick Theatre, 291 N. Keswick Ave., Glenside, 215-572-7650, keswicktheatre.com* —ME



Jim Thorpe
www.JimThorpe.org Pennsylvania

Something different just up the road.
Easy to get here. Easy to get back.

MAUCH CHUNK OPERAHOUSE

Saturday, June 12
Chopin's 200th Birthday
Performed by pianist Dr George Fiore

Wednesday, June 16
Max Weinberg Big Band
E-Street Band and Conan Late Night Drummer

Thursday, June 17
Jonathan Edwards Band
Great singer/songwriter/storyteller

Friday, June 25
Todd Snider
In the mold of Randy Newman / Tom Waits

Saturday, July 17
Childhood's End
Dynamic Pink Floyd Tribute

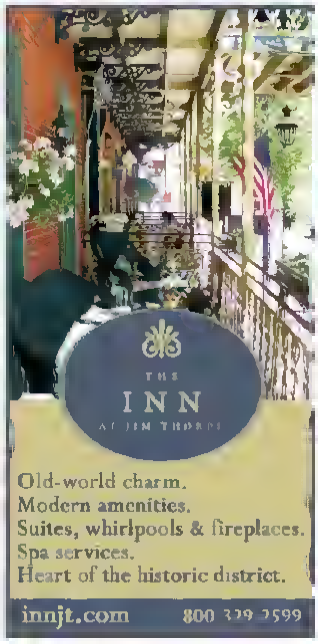
Saturday, July 24
Jeffrey Gaines
Quintessentially charismatic solo performer

Friday, July 30
The Wailin' Jennys
Superb 3-part harmonies, melodies

Saturday, July 31
Satisfaction
Unforgettable Stones tribute

570.325.0249
select your seats online at
MauchChunkOperaHouse.com







relaxed atmosphere
seasonal, local ingredients
diverse, changing menu

24 Race Street
570.325.8530
JimThorpeMoya.com



Opulent
Victorian
Accommodations
to Inspire
Your Senses

THE Gilded Cupid
40 West Broadway
Jim Thorpe, PA

Gatherings for small
but extraordinary
occasions

Fun packages for adults

570.325.5453
www.GildedCupid.com



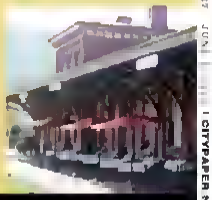
Experience the Nostalgia

The Restaurant at the Station
18 N Railroad St Tamaqua

570-668-5020

Enjoy Fine American Cuisine and Signature Creations served by our friendly wait staff garbed in period attire in an Old World atmosphere complete with original railroad memorabilia

Located in the Historic Tamaqua Train Station



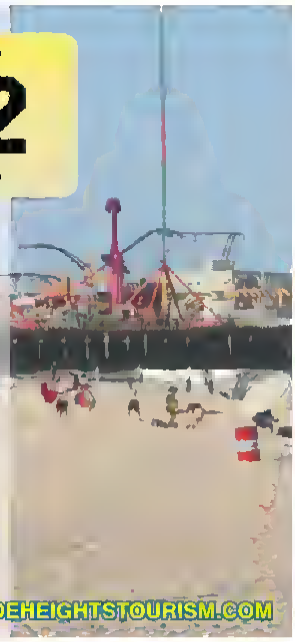
Just minutes away on Rte 209 South
Open Wed - Thu Sun

A Landmark Destination Since 1874
www.therestaurantatthestation.com
Located at the Intersection of Rte 209 and 309

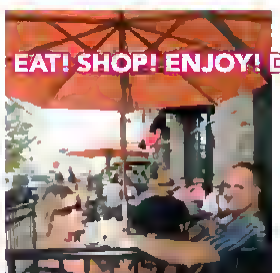
Berks County Wine Trail
www.berkscountywinetrail.com
EXPLORE
the eight family owned wineries located in the rolling countryside of Berks County
EXPERIENCE
award winning wines and unique tasting rooms that express the diverse culture heritage of the area
ENJOY
a day trip to wine country just north of Greater Philadelphia

DO IT TODAY
WHAT ARE YOU MISSING OUT ON TODAY?
CPSHORTLIST
ONLY AT CITYPAPER.NET/#DO_IT_TODAY

• Seaside Heights •
EXIT 82
• Jersey Shore •
White Sand Beaches and Boardwalk
Two Amusement Piers
Family Friendly Water Park
Bay Front Recreation
Delectable Dining
Hip Entertainment District
800-SEA-SHORE . WWW.SEASIDEHEIGHTSTOURISM.COM



We're closer than you think!
NEWARK DELAWARE
A vibrant, hip and walkable downtown with more than 80 diverse shopping boutiques and nearly 70 award-winning restaurants
Whether you are looking for a family field trip, a place to meet old friends, or a romantic spot with that special someone, downtown Newark is the Delaware destination of choice
EAT! SHOP! ENJOY! DOWNTOWN NEWARK...
ENJOY A DOWNTOWN SUMMER
Spring Concert Series
Every Thursday, May 27 - June 24 at 7:00 p.m.
Newark Nite
Saturday June 5 4:00-8:30 p.m.
Rain Date Sunday, June 6, 2:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Downtown Newark's Annual Food and Brew Fest
Saturday July 24 2:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.
enjoydowntownnewark.com



COME VISIT
OCEAN CITY, NJ
Your perfect vacation destination for lifelong memories. Spend your days on our 8 miles of wide, protected beaches, award-winning 2.5 mile boardwalk, Island-wide bike paths. Then relax in one of our premier accomodations, hotels, motels or bed and breakfasts!
Go to WWW.OCNJHA.COM to view our properties. Check our Availability Calendar to make your reservation.
Ocean City Hospitality Association
"Legend has it that those who get Ocean City, NJ beach sand in their shoes will be drawn to our shore time and time again."



"LET ME SHOW YOU A GOOD TIME."

DISCOVER THE PERFECT CITY

[illegible] meeting up with [illegible] sure you'll find something to [illegible] your appetite [illegible] me at the table — promise to save you a seat.

DOWNTOWN LANCASTER PENNSYLVANIA

WWW.DOWNTOWNLANCASTER.COM



ONE TANK TRIPS

Top 100 reasons to visit Somerset County



VisitSomersetNJ.org
SOMERSET COUNTY BUSINESS PARTNERSHIP





Don't miss what's happening in your own backyard.

Check out our online calendar of events for the latest and greatest festivals theater arts cultural activities, the all new Delaware Children's Museum and so much more. Enjoy easy access, no parking hassles and lots of fun.

Enter to win a

get away to the Brandywine Valley

Experience the best that Delaware and Brandywine Valley have to offer – *for FREE!*

To order or learn more go to
visitWilmingtonDE.com or call 1-866-940-7872

Wilmington & Brandywine Valley
AMERICA'S CULTURAL LEM

Go closer. Get closer



September

1 WEDNESDAY Remember that game, **"I'm going on a picnic and I'm bringing..."**? Take that old road trip time-suck and assign one letter to each friend. You might end up with Apples, Beer and the Cryogenically frozen head of Walt Disney. —JW

2 THURSDAY The Kevin Kolb era is upon us. CAN YOU FEEL IT?!?? The new starting QB takes his team out once more with the water wings on in the **Eagles' preseason finale** vs. the New York Jets. ARE YOU TOTALLY KOLB'D UP OR WHAT? *7:30 p.m., Lincoln Financial Field, 1020 Pattison Ave., 215-570-4000, philadelphiaeagles.com.* —SH

3 FRIDAY Not sure which of this season's 18 **Live Arts Festival** performances you should patronize? Take a quick online "matchmaker" survey to find out which shows suit you best. Need help sifting through 200-plus additional **Philly Fringe** acts? Friend... you're on your own. *Through Sept. 18, livearts-fringe.org.* —CH

4 SATURDAY Go to a party where you don't know anyone and **slip a casual lie into conversation**, while other wise acting like your normal fabulous self. Example: After hitting up the bar, take a giant swig from your cup, turn to the closest rube and say, "Oh man, my sponsor is gonna be pissed." —ME

5 SUNDAY What you'll need to make it out of the **Headhouse Farmers Market** alive and satisfied: reusable totes (plastic bags are so tsk-tsk), closed toed shoes (lest you lose appendages to strollers) and a plan. Not that accidentally spending $40 on strawberries and goat cheese is a bad thing. *Every Sat. and Sun., 10 a.m.-2 p.m., Second and Lombard streets, thefoodtrust.org/php/headhouse.* —CH

6 MONDAY Summer's over but so what? The Marlins are in town, **dogs are a buck at Citizens Bank Park** and the Mutts have probably already choked their way to getting Jerry Manuel fired/traded. Devid Wright for a third baseman with a heart. *7:05 p.m., Citizens Bank Park, 1 Citizens Bank Way, 215-271-1685, phillies.com.* —SH

Philly's "Shore" Thing!

Cavanaugh's RIVERDECK

DINING & DANCING ON THE DELAWARE

Mug Night 9pm, $1 Refills Wednesday's

Thursday's $3 Landsharks & $5 Margaritas

$3 Bud Lights 10-12- Friday's

Saturday's $3 Miller Lites 10-12

$10 Buckets of Beer til 6 Open at Noon Sunday's

417 N. Columbus Blvd 215.629.7400 theriverdeck.com

Rittenhouse's Favorite Sports Bar

Cavanaugh's RITTENHOUSE PHILADELPHIA

$3 Bud Light Pints During All of the Flyers Games

cavsrittenhouse.com

1823 Sansom St. 215.665.9500

Showing All of the World Cup Games

SOUTH AFRICA 2010 FIFA WORLD CUP

Starting June 11th

$3 Carlberg Pints

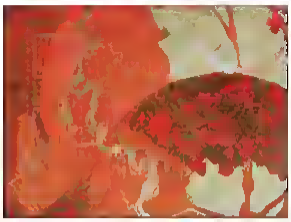
$5 Jagermeister

Cavanaugh's RITTENHOUSE PHILADELPHIA

a&e artsmusicmoviesmayhem

re:view
Robin Rice on visual art

CHARTED TERRITORY



MAPPING OUTSIDE/INSIDE
Through Aug. 15. Borowsky Gallery, Gershman Y, 401 S. Broad St., 215-446-3001, gershmany.org

➤ **IT'S NO WONDER** maps are like a siren song to artists. Like the centuries of cartography that came before, even Google Earth is a seductive invitation to get lost: Maps are infinitely fascinating and infinitely frustrating. Four well-known artists' provocative and visually delightful considerations of maps as subject, process and metaphor can be found at the Gershman Y's Borowsky Gallery.

Maps typically show us where something is — but they can also show when. Most of Leila Daw's maps (pictured) are about earlier versions of a landscape. The small-square format of her painted *Map Icons* and her use of "precious" materials like glitter emphasize the symbolic intention of these iconic records of a time and place. Some paintings in this series celebrate Peruvian geoglyphs on the high plains of Nasca, the purpose of these ancient artifacts has been lost. Even the technique of making the remarkably accurate lines, which themselves can seem like mapping superimposed on the Earth's surface, is disputed. Similar *Map Icons* by Daw relate to Australian Aborigines and other non-industrial cultures.

Daw also presents a large map, *Northeast Seas Exploration*, about European travel and the conventions of historical European maps. Map makers traditionally emphasize the value of their work by ornamenting them with coats of arms, sea serpents or mythic monsters of foreign climes. In her exhibition essay, curator Miriam Seidel points out, "Maps do not simply convey factual information in a neutral way, they tell us about underlying assumptions, blind spots and agendas." The most common distortion of modern maps is occasioned by the perfectly reasonable decision to represent the map-maker's (or his client's) home area at the

>>> continued on page 42



IT'S ELECTRIC. Free Energy is (L-R): Nick Shumnisky, Paul Sprangers, Scott Wells and Geoff Bucknum.

[rock/bang/pop]

WIRED FOR SOUND

Fishtown's Free Energy makes a connection

By K. Ross Hoffman

Nikola Tesla has been called "the father of free energy" for his utopic (but ostensibly viable) schema for worldwide wireless power transmission. Wittingly or not, sparky Fishtown-based rock 'n' rollers Free Energy seem like Tesla's spiritual sons, poised and fully capable of completing the inventor's vision of global electrification, with nothing more than blazing power pop riffage, dream-kissed classic rock vibes and heart-searing lyrics — hell, even song titles: "Dream City," "Young Hearts," "Light Love," "Hope Child" — testifying to the boundless potential of youth and joy and (brotherly) love.

At least, it all feels entirely feasible while you're listening to their pop-perfect DFA debut, *Stuck on Nothing*, whose title nicely sums up its infectious sense of limitless possibility. Actually, the band was stuck on something when I chatted with lead singer Paul Sprangers last week — their tour van, en route to a gig in Maine, had just caught a flat — but it hardly seemed to deflate his spirits.

Minnesota transplant Sprangers was stuck on nothing but love and enthusiasm for his adopted city and home for the past two years: "I love Philly, man! No one even knows why they love Philly, but everybody does." And for the ongoing adventure of growing and learning as a performing musician. "Every night is a chance to get better. I feel like there's so much to learn and figure out, and you can only do that by doing it. ... I'm happy to be humbled and play to nobody, because I know it's part of the process." And for the classic '70s and '80s rockers — Thin Lizzy and Cheap Trick turn up regularly in reviews, though Sprangers is more apt to namecheck Fleetwood Mac and Bruce Springsteen — that so palpably inform his band's sound. "We're not being tongue-in-cheek or insecure about [these influences], we're not saying 'look how dumb this is.' This is stuff that we absolutely love and are currently obsessed with."

His hint of defensiveness there is unwarranted, given how clearly their wide-eyed passion comes through in the grooves, but it's true that a genuine love for the music has hardly deterred the band from embracing the kitschier, potentially irony-laden aspects of their chosen aesthetic, from sleeveless tees and shaggy hair to the airbrushed hi-top on the cover of their album (which is, kind of awesomely, available on cassette — it's been living in my tape deck for weeks) and the technicolor *Rock 'n' Roll High School* pastiche video for their deliciously giddy bubble-gum single "Bang Pop" (shot at a Bucks County middle school, with a cast of fans rounded up at the Rittenhouse Urban Outfitters).

> "We can try to rip off the Boss but we'll still come off sounding like ourselves."

Typically, Sprangers shrugs off concerns about retro pigeonholing — "I don't care about a band having a throwback sound or not.

>>> continued on page 40

[a seductive invitation to get lost]

[kaleidoscope]

➤ mapfest



Nothing gets me gasked like old maps Except old meps of imaginary places To wit Michael J Trinklein's ***Lost States*** (Quirk) is a historical atlas of some 74 failed statehood attempts, from the ongoing push to decapitate Maine (Acadia), to correcting the nonsensically apportioned Idaho (Lincoln), to liberating Michigan's U P (Superior), to a Union sympathetic Appalachian swath of Tennessee and Alabama (Nickajack) Did you know there were also movements to admit Iceland, Cuba, Philippines, Guyana and even freaking Newfoundland (!) to the Union? Geeked Completely geeked.

—Brian Howard

➤ open mic/spoken word

Admit it Ever since you saw the city's UnLitter Us commercials and bus ads, you've been wanting to spit a few words **The Harvest: Spoken Soul 215 Open Mic** is your chance. Stroll on down to World Café Live on Wednesday (June 2, worldcafelive.com) and grab the mic. Def Philadalph poets like Just Greg and Lyrispect will be on hand to warm it up for you.

—Deesha Dyer

➤ hip-hop



Okayplayer isn't just a website — it's a meeting of the minds, a space for artists like Erykah Badu, Talib Kwah and ?uestlove to interact with fans on the always-buzzing message boards This Saturday's **Okayplayer 10 Year Reunion** at Fluid (May 29, fluidnightclub.com) will be DJ'd by none other than 9th Wonder. Need more dopeness? How about Sonny James and Mike Nyce. Even more? The party doubles as a listening party for Ethel Cee's freshly released album, *Dirty Samples*. Do you want more?! The gig triples as a Tastytreats anniversary celebration.

—Deesha Dyer

➤ fiction



Are you still holding a grudge against ***The Atlantic*** for banishing its lit content to the annual/non-canonical **Fiction Issue** sin bin? Get over it. The big-name exiles in the 2010 edition — just released and full of shorties, poetry and essays — include T. C. Boyle, Joyce Carol Oates and Paul Theroux.

—Patrick Rapa

hangthedj

J. Edward Keyes on shuffle

TWISTED

➤ **IF YOU NEED** any further evidence of the irrelevance of genre tags, consider that there is now an album on the Bad Boy label that features an appearance by oddball cross-dressing indie-poppers Of Montreal. That record is ***The ArchAndroid*** itself something of a oddball, the product of R&B dynamo **Janelle Monáe**, possessor of the best coif and most intense stare in all of pop music. To say the record is a dynamo is to sell it short: It barely stops moving over the course of its hour-plus length. And while many of the tracks are powered by the same kind of hyperkinetic percussion that powered OutKast's "B. O. B." (including and especially "Tightrope," on which OutKast's own Big Boi appears), Monáe isn't content to settle into a groove. "Oh, Maker" is a stormy, deity-directed R&B ballad; "Locked Inside" is a light-up roller disco; and "57821" is a *madrigal* complete with plucked lute and "Scarborough Faire"-y vocals. That Of Montreal track ends up an intergalactic Prince/Bowie love affair in which Kevin Barnes rejiggers Robert Plant's infamous come-on announcing, "I'm standing over you eating Juicy Fruit until it gets in your eye."

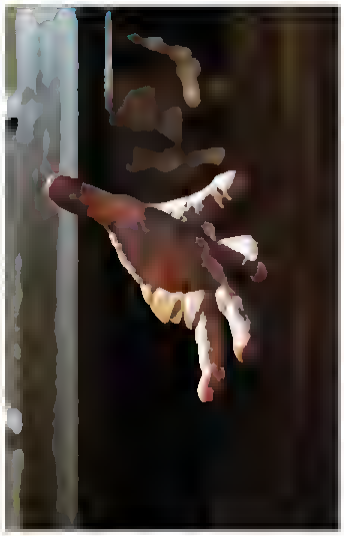
There's nothing nearly as sexy on **Nachtmystium's *Addicts: Black Meddle Pt. II***. The follow-up to the Wheaton metal group's 2008 genre-buster *Assassins: Black Meddle Pt. I*, *Addicts* trades that album's fury and indignance for a steady satanic boil. Like many of the best metal bands of the last few years, Nachtmystium shows only a passing interest in maintaining genre tropes. Where most black metal moves at a million miles per second, the songs on *Addicts* mostly lope along — indeed, Monáe's record is often speedier. This creates a weird conundrum: Blake Judd still employs black metal's ghastly howl, but at half-speed, with plenty of space to enunciate, it sounds strangely out of place. The group's sonic restlessness has earned it unlikely fans in indie rockdom, and a lot of *Addicts* feels like it was written with a consciousness of a broader base. The results are unusually muted, a metal record that never shows its teeth.

(j_keyes@citypaper.net)





flickpick [movie review]



GETTING HANDSY: The undead get a little touchy-feely in zombie movie god George A. Romero's latest.

SURVIVAL OF THE DEAD

[C] **GEORGE A. ROMERO'S** budgets have often been at odds with his ambitions — witness the compromised *Day of the Dead*, vastly scaled back from the apocalyptic finale the director had planned for his initial zombie trilogy. Offered the chance to finally realize that climax via the FX-helper of CGI, he came up with *Land of the Dead*, a clumsy if entertaining jab at the Bush administration. He then rebooted his zombies in *Diary of the Dead*, where the shortage of funds led to a cynical exploration of new media mixed in with the gore. But in the series' sixth installment, it's inspiration that is the resource most lacking, and the corpses are the only thing animated.

For the first time, Romero follows characters introduced in the previous film, a rogue military group who appeared briefly to hold up *Diary*'s Winnebago-driving crew. The soldiers now find themselves on a small island off Slaughter Beach in Delaware, where two feuding Irish clans bring the proper handling of the menace into their perennial animosity. It's an excuse to basically remake William Wyler's *The Big Country* with zombies standing in for water rights, but as realized, none of the elements gibe — the anachronism of cowboy standoffs coexisting with iPhones is never resolved, and thus feels like (at least) two movies uncomfortably stitched together. The strength of Romero's zombie films, as opposed to those of his legions of gore-hound followers, has been that the horror takes a back seat to some form of social commentary, no matter how broad. That's still the case in *Survival*, but the message essentially boils down to a statement about the futility of war, a simplistic point delivered with little more than a disinterested shrug. For the first time in the series, the zombie elements — especially the cartoonish kills — feel like an obligation, met with one eye on the marketplace and one rolled up into the director's head. —*Shaun Brady*

It's Wyler's *The Big Country* with zombies.

OUR STAND

WHEN YOU INSURE MORE YOU SHOULD

PAY LESS.



Insure your home & car with Allstate and I can help you save on both policies. Call me today



Thomas Staphanson
(215) 564-6336
2001 Walnut St
Philadelphia
tomstephenson@allstate.com

Allstate.
You're in good hands

Discount and insurance offered only with select companies and subject to availability and qualifications. Discount amount may be lower. Allstate Fire and Casualty Insurance Company. Allstate Property and Casualty Insurance Company. Northbrook, IL. © 2009 Allstate Insurance Company.



FRIDAY JUNE 18 2010
KINDRED & THE FAMILY SOUL
JEFF BRADSHAW
JAGUAR WRIGHT
CAROL RIDDICH

SATURDAY JUNE 19 2010
NORMAN CONNORS

SUNDAY JUNE 20 2010
DEACON PITMANN
& JUST LIS GOSPEL

OARC Relish

LEARN FRENCH
with the experts at the
ALLIANCE FRANÇAISE

Join the Alliance Française for French flavored activities such as conferences, concerts, luncheons, happy hours and wine lectures. Don't forget Bastille Day on July 14 at the Water Works!

We also offer 15 levels of French classes

Summer Session
of French classes:
June 7 - August 14
Registration is June 3 & 4 from 12:00-2:00pm and 4:00-6:00pm
June 5 from 12:00-3:00pm
All level conversation classes and advanced specialized classes. Business French, Literature and Cinema Classes. French for Travelers and French for Children

Immersion Classes:
Spend 6 hours speaking and hearing French! Next Class: June 26

Alliance Française de Philadelphie
1420 Walnut Street, Suite 700
(215) 735-5283 www.afphila.com

af
Alliance Française

Come back to your place at the shore...

Your free summer vacation includes:
- 7 nights accommodations for up to 8 people
- $500 in cash
- beach tags
- ride tickets
- welcome basket

OCEAN CITY NJ
8 FUN-FILLED FREE FAMILY VACATIONS
ENTER TO WIN YOUR
FREE
7-DAY FAMILY
SUMMER
VACATION
8 weeks
8 winners!
GO TO
OCEANCITYVACATION.COM

+Wired for Sound
<<< continued from page 38

"That's a challenge, and it feels good to do. It's a 'feel the burn'-type thing."

When you hear the music, you hear the music" — and as up front but humbly untroubled by the anxiety of influence "We're not good enough to rip people off," he says with a laugh. "In some ways we are trying to, asking ourselves, what would the Boss do, or what would Lindsey Buckingham do. We aim to use blueprints and formulas that other geniuses have used in the past, but we're not professional enough to pull it off completely. As far as I'm concerned, we can try to rip off the Boss but we'll still come off sounding like ourselves."

He does admit to some discomfort around the deliberately bokey, unabashed earnestness that the band projects, in both sound and sentiment. Although he emphatically admires and delights in the cheese factor in other artists' work — be they chestnuts like Boston or contemporaries like Yeasayer — Sprangers confesses "With our stuff, I'm like, 'Is that OK? Is that just cheesy or lame?' It feels unnatural, 'cause I'm a wimp, and it can be scary to do stuff that feels so corny. But going to those places that you think are uncomfortable — that's interesting to me, that's a challenge, and it feels good to do. It's a 'feel the burn'-type thing."

So does he really mean all those sappy, starry-eyed things he sings? "I don't know if I do. I definitely believed them when I wrote them — the first time I came up with 'Dream City' it was totally cheesy, but past that point it's all fine. I totally believe that idea, and I think it's a really good lyric. But I don't know if I'm thinking about it every time I sing. On stage you get into a zone. Ideally, you'd be totally present with every moment — I feel like that would take so much energy, which is incredible, and that needs to be there. But there's this other aspect of it — you're not there to get wrapped up in yourself. You're there to connect to the audience. The music's made for everybody."

(k_hoffman@citypaper.net)

+Free Energy plays Fri., May 28, 7:30 p.m., $10-$12, with Jukebox the Ghost and Miniature Tigers, First Unitarian Church, 2125 Chestnut St., 877-435-9849, r5productions.com.

We believe:

* It's never too late to express yourself
* There's no such thing as too much fun
* If football players and business people can learn how to dance, so can you.



Ballroom/Latin • Argentine Tango • Salsa • Jazz/Modern
Ballet • Hip-Hop • Belly Dance • Pole Dancing • Yoga • Zumba

Wedding Packages • Private Lessons • Group Classes

dancemuse
STUDIO
Dancing For Adults

3000 Valley Forge Circle, G16
King of Prussia, PA 19406 . (610) 783-1410

http://www.thedancemuse.com

PHILADELPHIA'S PREMIER GOLF ACADEMY
INDOOR DRIVING RANGE OAKS, PA 610-666-9000
PAR BREAKERS ACADEMY

AWARD WINNING GOLF CAMPS
FULL & HALF DAY PROGRAMS
AGES 6 - 15 YRS.
CAMPERS LEARN THE BASICS
ALONG WITH RULES AND FAIR PLAY
9 HOLES ON COURSE INSTRUCTION
EVERY AFTERNOON (FULL DAY)

WWW.PARBREAKERS.COM
610-666-9000

NEVER RAINED OUT!







+Charted Territory
<<< continued from page 38

Appealing lacy patterns in muted greens, brick reds and white evoke myriad references.

map's center. This placement changes the apparent size of neighboring locations. They are altered by trapezoidal distortions of latitude and longitude.

Accuracy or objectivity is one concern of Eve Andrée Laramée's large installations dealing with history, science, nature and art. These issues are interesting, even wonderful, even beautiful, she shows us, but objectivity is impossible. Furthermore, she suggests that reliance on putative objectivity can have toxic or dangerous consequences. Laramée's acrylic paintings in this show comment on the "truth" of maps by covering parts of real ones with pastel painted circles and other geometric shapes (literal evocations of Seidel's "blind spots"). The results, precise but seemingly in flux, are deceptively pretty, somewhat like quilts with a grid of diagonal stitching.

Maps are composed of signs. In addition to text, they include linear patterns and coded colors; a sense of rhythm and predictability is part of their visual appeal. Issues of scale and modularity, either organic or mechanically imposed, are contemporary art concerns, as well. Digital kaleidoscopic repetition of aerial photographs is blogger Nikolas Schiller's shtick. He calls his quilt-like pieces "geospatial art." Four of his works in this show are based on the Gershman Y seen from above, and a fifth is a Star of David configuration made of fragments of disputed territories of Israel and Palestine. Appealing lacy patterns in muted greens, brick reds and white evoke myriad references from Victorian decoration to Islamic mosaics to cellular division. On the other hand, like the similarly attractive fractal patterns, they end up being more decorative than profound.

Joyce Kozloff, doyenne of the Pattern and Decoration movement, has called some of her map-based pieces *Boys' Work*, in reference to men's warlike behavior. No doubt, she intends a contrast to the domestic decorative arts associated with women that her work frequently celebrates. The map pieces in this show, however, are, like Daw's *Map Icons*, inspired by various cultures. By suggesting analogies with body systems, Kozloff reminds us that the earth is also a living body.

Maps are familiar and mysterious all at once. They are communicative abstractions derived from arbitrary processes, rich cultural documents, and they look great in collages. It's hardly surprising that map-making is a good place to begin art-making.

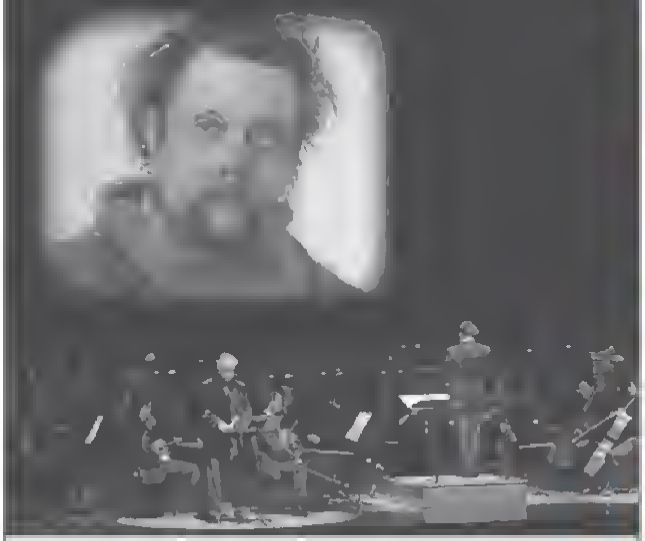
(r_rice@citypaper.net)

"Best place to get a Cheesesteak?"

YOUR QUESTIONS. YOUR ANSWERS. YOUR CITY.
askadelphia.
ASKADELPHIA.COM

p

Learn More.
Hear More.
Experience More.



ThePhiladelphiaOrchestra

Beyond the Score: Pictures of What?

Thursday, June 3 7:00 PM

Charles Dutoit Conductor
Gerard McBurney Host

Musorgsky *Pictures from an Exhibition*

Modest Musorgsky crafted his *Pictures from an Exhibition* as a musical depiction of a memorial exhibition of works by his friend Viktor Hartmann. Though few of Hartmann's original watercolors and drawings survive, Musorgsky's imaginative music, dynamically orchestrated by Maurice Ravel in 1922, gives a glimpse of what it would have been like to experience Hartmann's pictures. Our guides, Charles Dutoit and Gerard McBurney, will bring this beloved work into focus.

Tickets On Sale Now!

www.philorch.org/beyondthescore 215.893.1999

Beyond the Score is made possible by support from the Hirschberg Geoffrion Fund in memory of Adele Hirschberg as established by Juliet J. Geoffrion. The Wachovia Wells Fargo Foundation is proud to be The Local Underwriter of the Pursuing the Artistic Curiosity initiative. Additional funding comes from the Annenberg Foundation and the Penn's Landing Department of Community and Economic Development.

Media support is provided by WHYY.

Photo: Pete Checchia

A Smart Way to Spend your Summer!



West Chester University

West Chester University offers over 300 summer courses in a wide range of academic programs. With WCU's flexible summer sessions you can earn credits and still have time to enjoy your summer!

SUN, BABY, SUN!



Slash your electric bill with solar power!

A solar electric system can add $20,000 in value to your home, and save you thousands of dollars in future bills to your power company.

Call us. We'll come to your house and give you a free, no-obligation solar evaluation.

groSolar
What the World Needs.

Call for a FREE solar evaluation

groSolar.com ! 800.374.4494

lastchance

Catch it or regret it

BUS STOP BOUTIQUE

When **Alden Blyth** speaks about his recent two-week trip to Ethiopia, he does so very precisely, as if to say that he's fully aware that it may look like nothing more than spring break for the *Harper's* set.

"I've been interested in traveling to countries that haven't been influenced by McDonald's or Starbucks. Places that are more culturally pure than here," he says. "No, not pure. Isolated."

Blyth, a local architect who specializes in low-income, inner-city design, shot photographs of the Ethiopians he met in towns, atop mountains and at religious ceremonies for **"People of Ethiopia."** Being an infrequent photographer, Blyth doesn't dazzle with composition, but with what he brings to the darkroom as a design connoisseur. His eye is drawn to expressive shelter, patterns, stripes and color. Children painted head-to-toe like zebras, headdresses that would give Lady Gaga culture shock, and eclectic holy places situated within deep valleys.

Ethiopia, it turns out, was just the type of culturally heterogeneous muse he was looking for. "The way they build houses and dress and arrange villages there is so specific to their tribes," he says. "Villages just 50 miles apart look completely different from one another."

Because Blyth was so fixated on aesthetics, though, the people in his photographs often look unconnected to the man on the other end of the camera — a fact that gives the show an unreal, twice-removed tenor. This might also have to do with Blyth's abbreviated stay, which prevented him from truly befriending anyone, at least in the traditional sense.

"You get to interact with people only by taking their photographs," he says. *Closing reception Fri., May 28, 5:30-8:30 p.m., free, 750 S. Fourth St., 215-627-2357, busstopboutique.com.*



CRANE ARTS BUILDING

What would the Internet look like in actual space and time, removed from its natural, Google-gentrified habitat? The Philly-based design studio **GDloft** explores this question in their piece for **".matrix,"** where 6,000 image search results are pinned to the overstimulating walls. The effect is awesomely terrifying, like peering into the pink insides of a hive mind, full of porn and President Obama and canonized celebrities. You won't be proud of what you see, but did you expect to be? *Ends May 28, Crane Arts Building, 1400 N. American St., 215-232-3203, cranearts.com.*

INSTITUTE OF CONTEMPORARY ART

You may know **Maira Kalman** from "New Yorkistan," a brazen post-9/11 *New Yorker* cover mirroring Saul Steinberg's iconic illustration of an Earth reimagined as N.Y.C. **"Various Illuminations (of a Crazy World)"** (pictured), the first museum survey of Kalman's work, reveals that the artist's oeuvre is just as alternately biting, full of childlike wonder, and obsessed with New York as this famous piece. Fans will be thrilled to see lots of Kalman rarities in the exhibit, too, like photographs, textiles, installation and embroidery. *Ends June 6, Institute of Contemporary Art, 118 S. 36th St., 215-898-7108, icaphila.org.*

—**Holly Otterbein**
(holly.otterbein@citypaper.net)

curtaincall

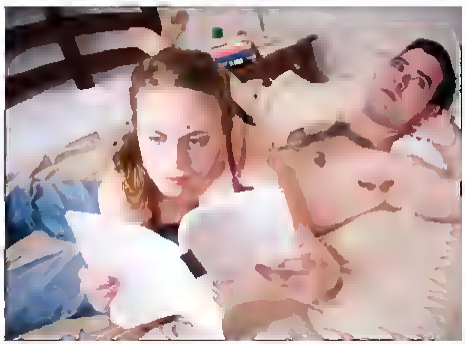
CP theater review

WRONG NUMBER

News flash: The Ivory Tower is crumbling! Oh, academia may *seem* like a bastion of idealism, intelligence and honesty — but scratch the surface and you'll find a cesspit of cheating and low-stakes fraud. If this strikes you as a novel or interesting idea, perhaps you'll be entertained by **Philadelphia Theatre Workshop**'s production of ***516 (five sixteen)***, a new play by Katharine Clark Gray. If not, don't waste your time.

Meet Sigurd (yes, Sigurd), a stellar graduate student in media studies, who inexplicably hires an unqualified part-time undergraduate named Annalee to write most of his papers. He also plies her with aggressive sex in his dirty van. That's Act 1. Act 2 involves the discovery of this scam by the professor, followed by an absolutely incomprehensible struggle for one-upmanship.

Gray clearly relishes skewering the pretensions of media studies in particular and colleges in general. But for all of her smugness, she seems to know very little about how a university works (she's clueless about the difference between an M.A. and an M.F.A., to give only *one* example among many). The plot of *516* is preposterous, but that's not even the worst of it. There's endless dialogue that attempts to mimic what the playwright imagines is scholarly filmspeak. I'm sure she thinks she nails it, and that the result is fresh and hip. She doesn't and it isn't. "Did David Cronenberg spend 20 years making the same movie?" Annalee asks in her typically sneering, purely rhetorical way. (No, he didn't.)



AN EDUCATION: Emilie Krause and Kevin Meehan in *516 (five sixteen)*

JOHN BLAK

The *one* element of *516* that seems all too real is the creepy, abusive core of Sigurd and Annalee's relationship, but deplorably much of that is played for laughs. It's not clear whether Gray intends for all three characters (including Martie, the professor) to be as unappealing as they seem here. I don't know and I don't care. I also don't know why the play's title, which is the number of one of Sigurd's courses, is written out in numerals as well as words. But I'm sure of one thing — as a play, *516* is a big fat 0 (zero). *Through June 6, $18, Philadelphia Theatre Workshop at Walnut Street Theatre's Studio 5, 825 Walnut St., 215-316-1361, philadelphiatheatreworkshop.org.*

—**David Anthony Fox**

➤ theater

+ BLACK PEARL SINGS!

InterAct Theatre Co. is noted for exploring political and social issues, so at first glance Frank Higgins' *Black Pearl Sings!* seems uncharacteristic. The two-woman play with music, featuring Philly's Catharine Slusar and InterAct newcomer C. Kelly Wright as the titular imprisoned singer, is based on a true story about a musicologist's 1930s attempt to find and record American folk songs; it's a powerful tale about being a woman in a man's world, being black in a white world, and preserving artistic integrity in a commercial world.

—**Mark Cofta**

June 2-27, $25-$29, InterAct at the Adrienne, 2030 Sansom St., 215-568-8079, interacttheatre.org




citypaper
Enter for a chance to win a copy of the
VALENTINE'S DAY
DVD
To enter for a chance to win text LOVE with your ZIP CODE to 43549
(example LOVE 19103)
MAKE EVERY DAY
VALENTINE'S DAY
NOW AVAILABLE ON DVD & BLU-RAY™
Valentine's Day © 2010 Warner Bros. Entertainment Inc. All rights reserved


Rittenhouse Square
79th Annual
FINE ART SHOW
JUNE 4 - 6
More than 140 artists from around the country will
"CIRCLE THE SQUARE"
The oldest outdoor art show of only original artwork in the entire country
Fairmount Park
18th and Walnut Streets
Friday and Saturday from 11am – 7pm; Sunday from 11am – 5pm
Call 877-689-4112 • Visit www.RittenhouseSquareArt.org


Summer Fun at Morris Arboretum
Go Out on a Limb
Experience trees in a whole new way from 50 feet up! Open daily.
Enjoy Summer Concerts
Groovin' in the Garden jazz concerts
July 15 & 22
XPN Kids Corner at the Arboretum
August 5 & 12
Explore Garden Railway
Roadside Attractions
Memorial Day to Labor Day
May 29 - Sept 26
www.morrisarboretum.org
Morris Arboretum of the University of Pennsylvania
100 East Northwestern Avenue • Philadelphia, PA 19118 • 215.247.5777


RENTALS AVAILABLE!
PAINTBALL INVASION
192 SOUTH ROUTE 73
WINSLOW TWP. NJ
• 609-704-7787 •
Only 25 minutes from Philly
INDOOR & OUTDOOR ARENAS
WWW.PAINTBALLINVASION.COM


JUNE 4
5-9 PM
first friday
art music shopping dining
Haddonfield
856.216.7253 www.shophaddonfield.nj.com
More Great Summertime Events in Haddonfield!
Fine Arts & Crafts Festival | July 10 & 11 | Premier outdoor event featuring more than 200 artists Free admission
Sidewalk Sale | August 5-7 | Rain or shine Spend a fun day in town and save money! Bargains galore

What Is Your Risk of Disease?

The University of Pennsylvania is recruiting volunteers for the Triumphant Living Collaborative Program. This research study is an opportunity for African American men and women to learn about the impact of health behaviors on disease risk.

If you are age 18 or older and live in Philadelphia, call to learn more about the study and to find out if you are eligible.

215-746-7281

Penn Medicine

Navigate Your Health

This research program is designed to assist African American residents in Philadelphia in getting screening for breast, colon, and prostate cancer.

If interested in learning more about or participating in this research program, please call

215-746-7286

Penn Medicine

➤ rock/pop



+ THE FUTUREHEADS

The Futureheads always seemed like they were having way more fun than their U.K. compatriots in the mid-'00s "angular" wave, jutting out from the somewhat dour likes of Bloc Party and Franz Ferdinand with their absurdly endearing, brusquely bouncy vocal harmonies and choppy pop-punk urgency bordering on goofiness. That energy never really went away, despite a few albums bogged down in refinement and diminishing returns, and their newest, *The Chaos* (Phantasm), feels gleefully reinvigorated, living up to its overdetermined title with screppy nuggets like the manic, chord-a-second "This Is the Life" and dead-hooky "Heartbeat Song."

—K. Ross Hoffman

Wed., June 2, 8 p.m., $13, $14 with The Like. First Unitarian Church, 2125 Chestnut St., 877-435-9849, r5productions.com.

➤ experimental

+ KOBOKU SENJU

The name of this Japanese/Norwegian quintet translates as "selection of dead trees," and it's hard to imagine an image that could be more evocative of the stark, spare beauty of their music. Dead leaves, stripped bark, bare, withered branches — these are the harsh but striking details that emerge from their sound. The electro-acoustic ensemble — no-input mixing-board experimentalist Toshimaru Nakamura, guitarist Tetuzi Akiyama, tuba player Martin Tacks, trumpeter Oyving Lonnig, and saxophonist Espen Reinertsen — are perhaps the boldest example of the texturally oriented "Onkyo" (reverberation of sound) movement. While the instrumentation is perfectly arrayed for the sort of aggressive, grating barrage most associated with Japanese noise or the dense improvisational eruptions of the Scandinavian free-jazz scene, Koboku Senju pushes against the opposite extreme, demanding meditation and awarding mystery, a crime scene in a Zen garden. It would be misguided, however, to call it minimalism. The band deals in absence, not silence; implication, not restraint.

—Shaun Brady

Fri., May 28, 8 p.m., $10, Fleisher/Ollman Gallery, 1616 Walnut St., arronsworkshop.org.

➤ noise/electronic/jam band

+ HOLY FUCK



JAMES MEJIA

In a funny way, these fiercely grooving Torontonians are charting a course comparable to their long-absent countrymen Godspeed You! Black Emperor, adapting the dynamic force of rock to a radically expanded, streamlined, essentially vocal-free template — they bring a raw pragmatic physicality to the minimalist, recursive structures of electronic dance. The results are sometimes majestically shimmering, sometimes seething like *XTRMNTR*-era Primal Scream or Rage Against the Machine (to cite two more bands that wear their intensity on their record sleeves) and, occasionally as on new single "Latin America," downright sunny.

—K. Ross Hoffman

Sun., May 30, 9 p.m., $12, with Nice Nice and Grandchildren. Johnny Brenda's, 1201 N. Frankford Ave., 877-435-9849, johnnybrendas.com.

➤ lo fi/experimental

+ GROUPER

For people who like their music easy to take in but tough to make out — stuff that sounds pretty and pretty scary, spooky and blissful, hissing and soaring — Portland's Liz Harris pushes the right buttons. And tweaks the knobs, strums the ghost-guitar and sings the happy séance vocals. Grouper is not for everybody on this side of the great beyond, but I hear they're going nuts for it over in purgatory.

—Patrick Rapa

Tue., June 1, 8 p.m., $13, with ((Taco)). First Unitarian Side Chapel, 2125 Chestnut St., 877-435-9849, r5productions.com.

➤ indie/pop

+ OF MONTREAL



Kevin Barnes' waggish, wild-eyed brainchild was born 14 long years ago. It's grown an awful lot — and not always smoothly — since then, from gushy twee-folk infancy through the imaginative fingerpainted tweeny-pop of albums like *Satanic Panic* into the pubescent excess of 2008's messy, awkward and exuberantly debaucherous *Skeletal Lamping*. We'll have to wait a few months to hear Of Montreal as a teenager on the forthcoming *False Priest* (notably abetted by "mature" pop auteur Jon Brion). Meanwhile, Barnes and crew are back to wave their freak flags and whatever else they dream up.

—K. Ross Hoffman

Sat., May 29, 9 p.m., $24, with Noot D'Noot. TLA, 334 South St., 215-922-1011, livenation.com.

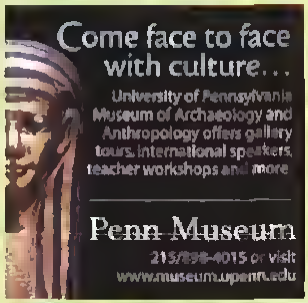

the clog
www.citypaper.net/clog


Rosie's Yarn Cellar
2017 Locust Street
Philadelphia, PA 19103
215.977.9276

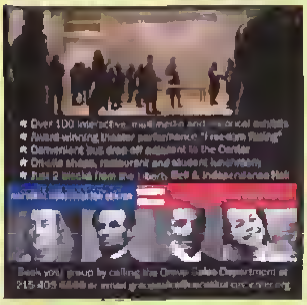

JUST LIKE SUMMER, OUR NEW DISHES WON'T LAST FOREVER


Buca di Beppo
$10 off
ALLENTOWN
EASTON
PHILADELPHIA - CENTER CITY
READING

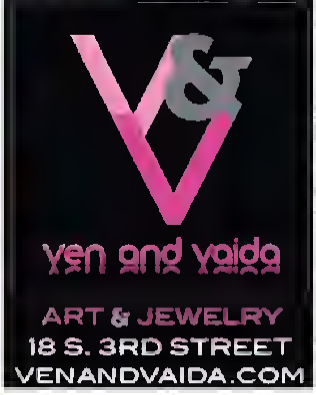

BEN HERE?
DO THIS!
You love Philadelphia's favorites. Now it's time to experience the rest. Explore new tours with us.
Let's talk.
800-CALL-PHL ext. 2
PHILADELPHIA
PhiladelphiaUSA.travel/group-tour


Come face to face with culture...
University of Pennsylvania Museum of Archaeology and Anthropology offers gallery tours, international speakers, teacher workshops and more
Penn Museum
215/898-4015 or visit www.museum.upenn.edu


CENTENNIAL TOURS
AT PLEASE TOUCH MUSEUM
Guided tours of Memorial Hall, the only remaining building from Philadelphia's 1876 Centennial Exhibition!
Travel group discounts available
Please Touch Museum
4231 Avenue of the Republic
Philadelphia, PA 19131


Over 100 interactive, multimedia and historical exhibits
Award-winning theater performance "Freedom Rising"
Convenient bus drop-off adjacent to the Center
Onsite shops, restaurant and student lunchroom
Just 2 blocks from the Liberty Bell & Independence Hall




yen and yaida
ART & JEWELRY
18 S. 3RD STREET
VENANDVAIDA.COM


Take the Official Tour of the Mural Capital of the World!
MuralArts Program
See Philadelphia and hear the stories behind the City of Murals on this one-of-a-kind group tour experience.
Trolley and walking tours, step on guides, and experiential tours available.
Call 215-685-0754 or visit www.muralarts.org/tours.

PARTS AND LABOR

Univox drops its lush and textured debut. Finally.

By A.D. Amorosi



When Univox released its eponymous debut CD last month, one question immediately came to mind

What took so long?

"When you're striving to survive, the years just fly by," laughs Josh Jones, guitarist and baritone singer.

Univox, the brusque Philadelphia art-pop quartet known for its lush four-part harmonies, has been around for five years and counting.

That's a long time to sit on music like this. Each and every song the band — that's principal songwriters Jones and Joe Bonaventura III (guitar/alto singer) along with Rob DeCarolis (bass/tenor) and Kent Boersma (drums/soprano) — sets its mind to is contagious as hell. Their crusty power-driven pop, which incorporates the noisily melodic elements of Sonic Youth with the frenetic splintered pace of The Stooges and a touch of Motown swing, is easily imaginable coming from car windows on a summer's night.

If that sounds a bit fractured, it leads us to the real reason it took Univox so long to release a full album. "It was essentially done piece by piece," says Bonaventura. "The time between sessions for this record is literally years."

Jones has known Boersma since childhood. They drew together, made movies together and, at age 15, started writing and playing music together. "We were a twosome," says Jones. "I played guitar and Kent sang. Our first show was with Joe's band, Fuzzbucket. They really blew up our heads. They were our age, but they were doing a full-on Sonic Youth pastiche, with the alternate tunings on every song, and anti-chorus/verse/chorus songwriting structure."

"Fuzzbucket was more about a 'sheets of sound' idea, in that guitars would cascade and rise in a fury of fuzz with feedback squalls and atonal harmony," recalls fan and friend Bonaventura, talking about what sounds like My Bloody Valentine. "Somewhere in the middle of all that was a pop tune."

Bonaventura and Jones began Univox as a mature take on that Fuzzbucket concept, with a much more intense focus on song craft and group tightness. Boersma joined up after studying animation at UArts. "To not have had Kent in the band would be a great disadvantage," notes Bonaventura. "He can play drums like a wolverine on acid, and sing like an angel on chamomile."

In May 2009, Univox signed to ROIR, the one-time cassette-only-imprint that famously released music by punk, no wave and dub gods like Bad Brains, The Contortions, Suicide and Television.

"Signing a band is tricky as there's supposed to be long conversations about marketing, viability, monetization," says ROIR CEO Nick Cooper. "When I heard Univox's demo, all that shit went right out the window. I played it the way a teenage girl plays with her hair — all day long, day after day. How can one not sign a band that has that effect on you?"

The quartet brought Philly uber-producer Bill Moriarty to guide the sessions for Univox, after countless new songs had been written and recorded. At last count, they'd taped enough material for four additional albums. Despite this massive wealth of tunes, it's one of the quartet's earliest that Jones calls the defining U-vox smash.

"'Lever Master City' is a quintessential Univox song," he says. "In the beginning, we spent a lot of time together whittling away at our options, covered a lot of genres. I wrote that song in a fever. Didn't know what any of the words meant, but they all rang true. The rest of the band got as excited as I was and everything fell into place. We started dropping the songs we had been doing before that and pushing further in the direction of 'Lever Master's' sound. That was in 2005, so, for us at least, a lot of the luster has worn, but the ending still gets me every time."

(a_amorosi@citypapernet)

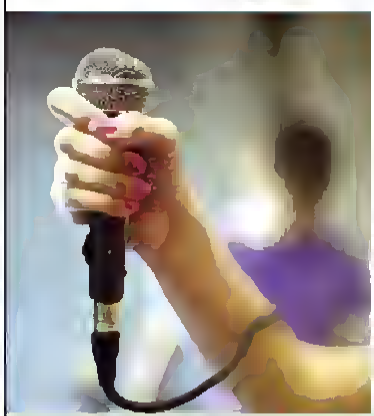
+Univox plays Thu., May 27, 7 p.m., $10, with Fang Island, Barbary, 951 N. Frankford Ave., 877 435 9849. rbproductions.com



COMING SOON

LIVING LIVE

A NEW ADVERTISING OPPORTUNITY FOR ARTISTS OF ALL TALENTS AND BUDGETS



CALL NATALIE AT 215-625-2496
OR EMAIL NATALIE@CITYPAPER.NET

movie shorts

FILMS ARE GRADED BY *CITY PAPER* CRITICS A–F



Sex and the City 2

+ NEW

PRINCE OF PERSIA: THE SANDS OF TIME

A haiku Oh noes! Some evil
douche has unleashed a sandstorm.
Save us, Bubble Boy! *(Not reviewed) (UA Grant; UA Main St.; UA Riverview; UA 69th St.)*

SEX AND THE CITY 2

A haiku To Wong Foo thanks for
everything, Priscilla
Queen of the Desert. *(Not reviewed) (UA Grant, UA Main St., UA Riverview; UA 69th St.)*

SURVIVAL OF THE DEAD | C

Read Shaun Brady's review on p. 39. (Ritz at the Bourse)

+ CONTINUING

BABIES | C-

If there's a principle behind Thomas Balmès' casually arranged excerpts from the first year of four infants' lives, it's that, no matter what and no matter where, babies are easy on the eyes. But "ow, shucks" isn't enough of a thesis to hang even a 79-minute movie on, and precious little else emerges from the film's weak juxtapositions. Flitting from San Francisco and Tokyo to Mongolia and Namibia, *Babies* takes in both ends of the child-raising spectrum. For all the care put into its images, *Babies* is startling unreflective, a series of elegantly shot drive-bys devoid of insight or empty. The movie's flaccid spine isn't nearly enough to support the heaps of jelly piled around it. —*Sam Adams (Ritz Five)*

CASINO JACK AND THE UNITED STATES OF MONEY | A

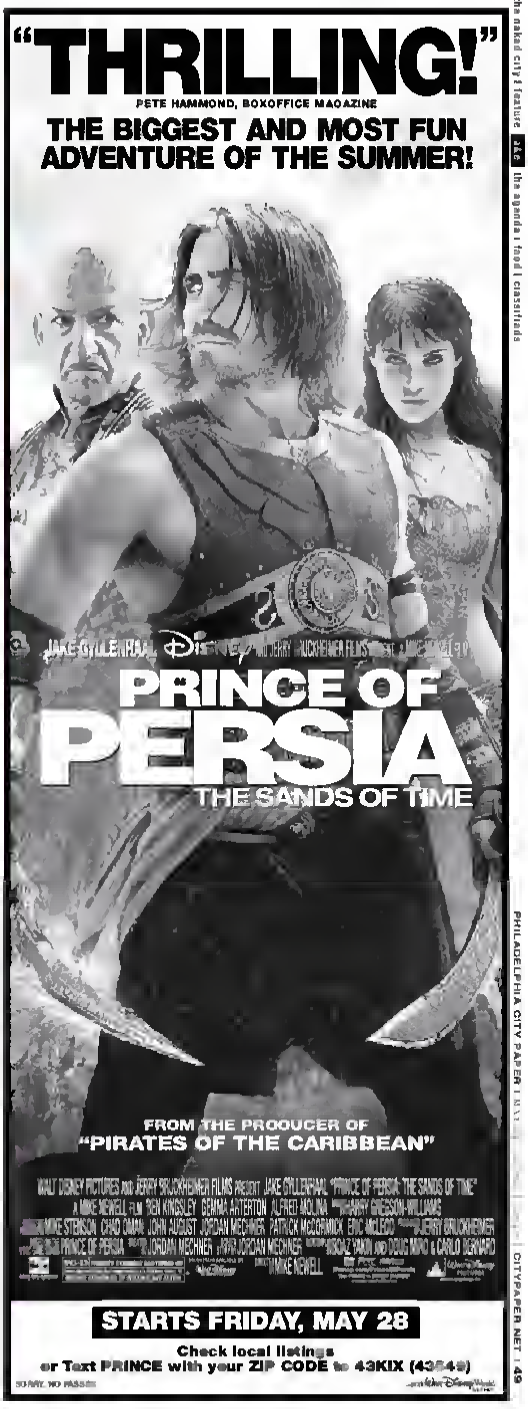
The one-time super-lobbyist Jack Abramoff is now in prison, but, Alex Gibney's documentary argues, Abramoff's is not the story of individual corruption. Instead, it is "the story of what our democracy has become." Significantly, Abramoff does not take part in telling his story, at least on screen. Faced with this rather conspicuous absence, the film finds a series of ingenious solutions — elegant, funny and preposterous ways to sort out the man's thinking and contexts. All of Abramoff's schemes were premised on gaming a system while insisting on an ideological purity. Regulations are bad; free markets are good. Abramoff may have been excessive, but he was not alone. Exposure is a step toward changing that. Exposure that also unravels beliefs — in truths, ideologies and systems of representation, including political and documentary systems — is even better. —*Cindy Fuchs (Ritz at the Bourse)*

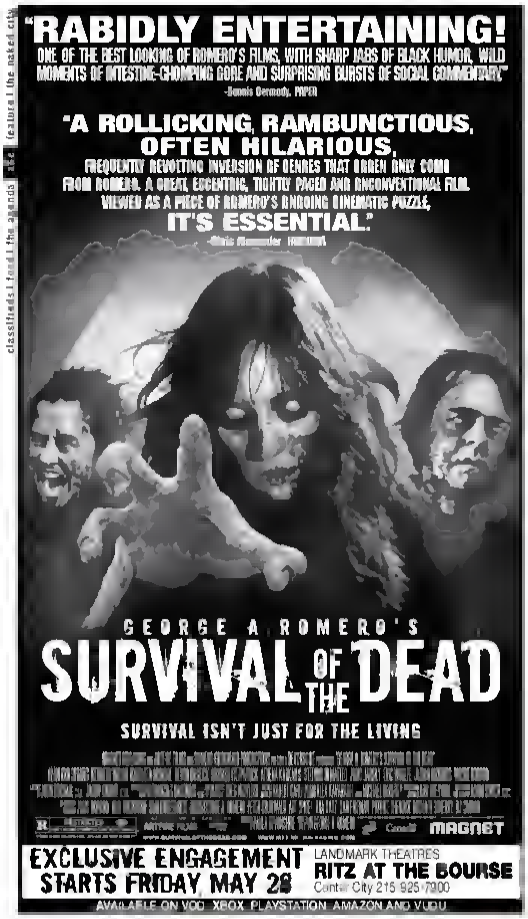
HARRY BROWN | B

Michael Caine stars as the title character — an ex-Marine pensioner who goes on a killing spree to clean up the estate (projects, to us) where he lives. After his best (and only) friend is killed by a roving young gang, Brown digs up the murderous memories of his days serving in Northern Ireland and goes after the estate scum, offing them in various bloody ways. First-time feature director Daniel Barber seems to be making a comment on the rise of violence in Britain, but it rings hollow. Brown is a sympathetic killer because he's the only fleshed-out character. But Barber is adept at creating suspense and he's aided by the excellent production design of Kave Quinn and cinematographer Martin Ruhe, who work together to truly make Brown's estate look like hell. —*Molly Eichel (Ritz East)*

IRON MAN 2 | B

Tony Stark (Robert Downey Jr.) resisting pressure to





surrender his suit to the military, assures the government that America's enemies are lagging behind technologically. He's wrong — the vengeful Russian Ivan Vanko (Rourke) hellbent on righting past wrongs, builds some toys of his own, nearly beating Iron Man with a pair of high-voltage double-dutch ropes. Joe Favreau's put together an unchallenging, easy-to-watch two hours that'll appeal to anyone who got lost in the 2008 original. —*Drew Lazor (Pearl, Rave, UA Grant, UA Main St, UA Riverview, UA 69th St.)*

LETTERS TO JULIET | C

Vanessa Redgrave portrays Claire, a headstrong grandmother who returns to Verona, Italy to find the love she left behind (real-life love Franco Nero) 50 years ago. It's all because of Sophie (Amanda Seyfried), a *New Yorker* fact-checker on vacation, who discovers the Secretaries of Juliet, a group of women who answer letters asking for advice left at Juliet Capulet's house. She finds and answers Claire's decades-old letter. Redgrave flosts across the screen, bringing real emotion to what could otherwise be a superficial romancer. —*M.E. (UA Grant, UA Riverview)*

MACGRUBER | C+

Adapting a recurring *Saturday Night Live* character for the big screen is a burden on its own. Make that character MacGruber — Will Forte's non sequitur-spewing specials ops buffoon, whose myriad personal flaws prevent him from defusing explosives — and you've carved out one hell of a job for yourself. SNL writer Jorma Taccone's movie wants to be a spoof of Michael Bay-style crash-bang-boom cinema, but it's really just a string of insane (and often uproarious) blue-comedy sequences that seem to have been dreamed up by a brain trust of 14-year-old boys cracked out on Rockstar energy drinks. —*D.L. (UA Riverview)*

MOTHER AND CHILD | B-

Rodrigo Garcia's newest exploration of women's experiences takes on a perpetually knotty subject: adoption. Each of the three protagonists is affected by the arduous process and predictable questions. Adoptee Elizabeth (Naomi Watts) still feels abandoned by her birth mother and is reluctant to commit. Her birth mother Karen (Annette Bening), still worries about the decision she made as a teenager. And Lucy (Kerry Washington), making her way through the adoption process, feels beleaguered for not "providing" her husband (David Ramsey) with his own child. The rather-too-neat convergence of intergenerational stories suggests changes in the U.S. adoption system, as well as unchanging regrets and joys. —*C.F. (Ritz Five)*

A NIGHTMARE ON ELM STREET | C+

In Samuel Bayer's reboot of the now-26-year-old *Elm Street* series, a new group of fresh-faced upper-middle class white kids are terrorized in their dreams by the one and only Krueger, given a new lease on "life" by brilliant character actor Jackie Earle Haley. New look Freddy sheds Robert Englund's propensity for vaudevillian one-liners, favoring instead a guttural growl not far removed from Haley's *Watchmen* hero Rorschach. Modern-day touches (one victim runs a "vlog," lolz!) are merely a means to a teen-honored end. Watching scared kids get skewered. —*D.L. (Roxy, UA Grant, UA Riverview, UA 69th St.)*

movie shorts

PRINCESS KA'IULANI | C-

Surely the life of Princess Ka'iulani — the Hawaiian royal who tried to restore her country's sovereignty after the overthrow of the monarchy in 1893 — holds more interest than Marc Forby's banal film. —*M.E. (Ritz at the Bourse)*

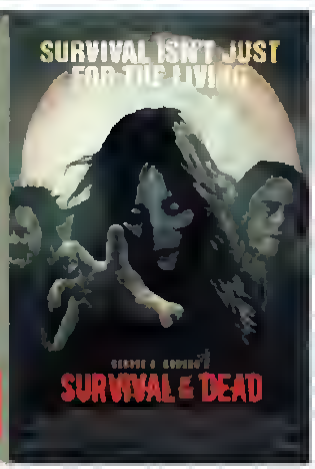
SHREK FOREVER AFTER | C+

After three happy endings, it's no surprise that Shrek is undergoing a bit of a midlife crisis — as is his creative team, which has fallen back on the tried-and-true *It's a Wonderful Life* formula for the series' fourth and purportedly (hopefully) final outing. When the domestic routine begins to grate on the big green ogre's nerves, he makes a contract with the conniving Rumpelstiltskin (voiced by head of story Walt Dohrn) that returns him to his fearsome roots for a day. An improvement over its dreary predecessor but not enough advantage is taken of the alternate reality to freshen up the over-familiar cast. —*Shaun Brady (Rave, UA Main St., UA Riverview)*

ROBIN HOOD | B-

As the title character, Russell Crowe's features are almost perpetually frozen in a hangdog scowl. He seems to spark to life a bit whenever fixed by the piercing stare of Cate Blanchett's steely Maid Marion, but even their romance is bloated. Ridley Scott is a filmmaker with an eye for grand scales, so the guerrilla tactics which made Robin's name would never appeal as much as the battles that preceded his outlaw days. Thus









+ ALSO PLAYING

CITY ISLAND | B
Ritz at the Bourse

EXIT THROUGH THE GIFT SHOP | A-
Ritz Five

GHOST WRITER | B-
Ritz Five

THE GIRL WITH THE DRAGON TATTOO | B
Ritz at the Bourse

For movie full reviews and showtimes, go to citypaper.net/movies.

Robin Hood kicks off with a castle siege and culminates on a French invasion that seems to transplant *Saving Private Ryan*'s storming of Normandy into medieval garb.—*S.B. (Rave, UA Grant, UA Riverview, UA 69th St.)*

THE SECRET IN THEIR EYES | C+
When not making films in his native Argentina, Juan José Campanella masterminds a busy sideline helming TV. He combines those two worlds in *The Secret in Their Eyes*, which often feels like an overwrought *Law & Order* episode inflated to feature length with melodramatic flourishes and political pretensions. Sprawling over 25 years, the story centers on a 1974 rape and murder that has weighed on the mind of criminal court investigator Ricardo Darín (Benjamín Esposito) ever since. He reconnects with an ex-boss and almost-lover (Soledad Villamil), seemingly hoping to rekindle their never-consummated romance as he finally lays the case to rest.—*S.B. (Ritz Five)*

+ REPERTORY FILM

Send repertory film listings to molly.eichel@citypaper.net.

BISTROT LA MINETTE
623 S. Sixth St., 215-925-8000, bistrotlaminette.com. ***The City of Lost Children*** (1995, France/Germany/Spain, 112 min.) A scientist kidnaps children to steal their dreams so he can slow the aging process. Mon., May 31, and Thu., June 3, 8:30 p.m., free.

LITTLE THEATER
7141 Germantown Ave., 215-247-3020, mtairyrodeolibrary.com. ***Invictus*** (2009, U.S., 134 min.) Clint Eastwood directs Morgan Freeman as Nelson Mandela, who saw South Africa's rugby team as a way to unite the divided nation. Fri.-Sun., May 28-30, 8 p.m., $4, includes popcorn.

MIDNIGHT MADNESS
125 S. Second St., 215-925-7900, landmarktheatres.com. ***The Warriors*** (1979, U.S., 92 min.) The Warriors must make it from Bronx to their Coney Island home before rival gangs take them out. Can you dig it? Sat., May 29, 11:58 p.m., $9. ***Human Centipede*** (2009, Netherlands, 90 min.) An evil scientists connects three captives anus to mouth. Yeah, gross. Sat., May 29, 11:59 p.m., $9.

PHILADELPHIA CITY INSTITUTE LIBRARY
1905 Locust St., 215-685-6621. ***No Regrets For Our Youth*** (1946, Japan, 110 min.) Akira Kurosawa's first film after WWII, about the military takeover of Japan and how it affects one woman's life, kicks off a month honoring the great Japanese director at PCL. Wed., June 2, 2 p.m., free.

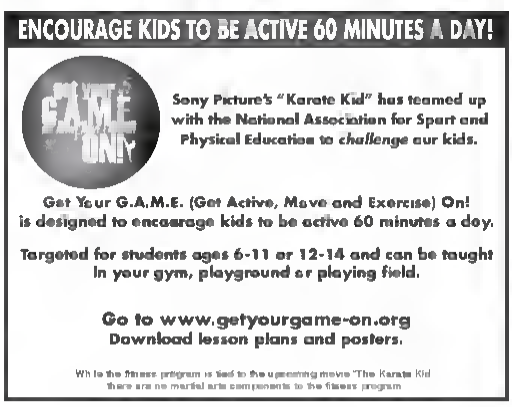
PHILADELPHIA FILM SOCIETY
World Cafe Live, 3025 Walnut St., 215-222-1400, filmadelphia.org. ***Thing With No Name*** (2008, U.S., 74 min.) Sarah Friedland's doc focuses on two HIV-positive Zulu women trying to reconcile their illness with their tribe's traditions and values. Tue., June 1, 7:30 p.m., $6-$10.

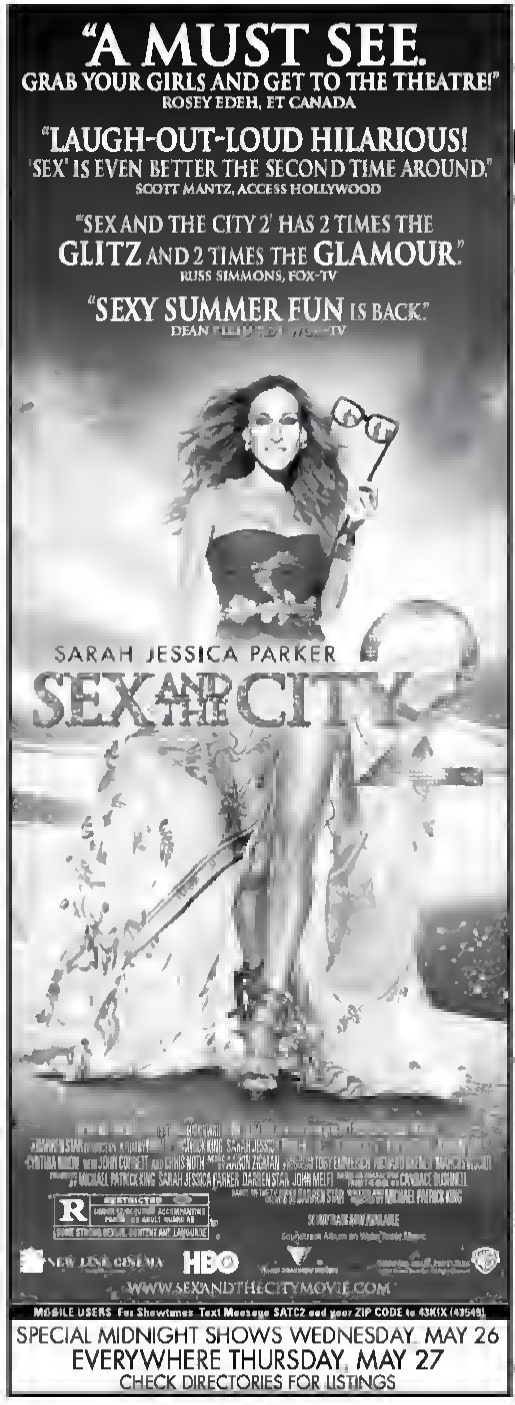
PHILADELPHIA INDEPENDENT FILM AND VIDEO ASSOCIATION
LEStage, 624 S. Sixth St., 215-382-2575, pifva.org. **The Other American Way: The Documentary Works of Nadine Patterson.** WHYY's Elisabeth Perez-Luna will moderate a discussion with film maker Nadine Patterson. Tue., June 1, 7:30 p.m., free.

SPACE 1026
1026 Arch St., Second Floor, 215-574-7630, space1026.com. ***Bloodshed:*** Rick and Buddy of SixStar will screen their skateboard slasher flick. Select short films will follow. Thu., May 27, 7:30 p.m., donations accepted.

WOODEN SHOE BOOKS
704 South St., 215-413-0999, woodenshoebooks.com. ***Bomb It*** (2007, U.S., 93 min.) This doc features street art on five continents and explores "Quality of Life" laws. Sun., May 30, 7:30 p.m., free.







the agenda

LISTINGS@CITYPAPER.NET | MAY 27 - JUNE 3

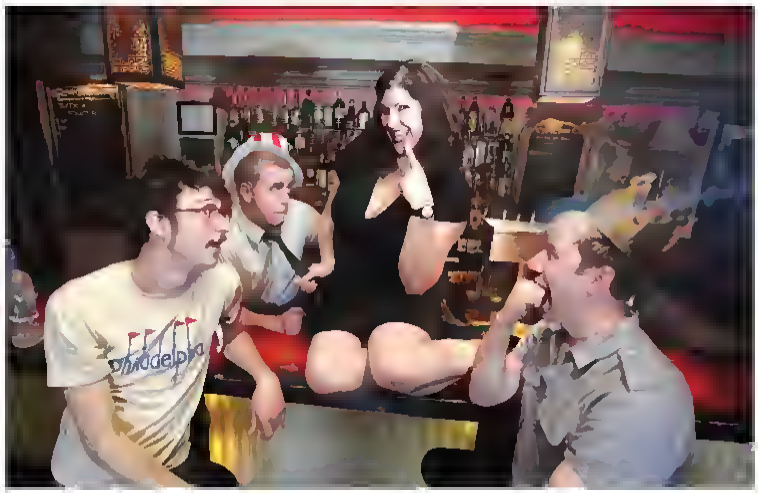
[Your to-do list, no matter what you're doing]

icepack

By A.D. Amorosi

➢ **BETWEEN THE PASSING** of **Wee Willie Webber** and the sale of **Shane Candies**, both in the last week or so, I can't help but think about being a kid and those damnable family value thingies that went with it. Webber repped everything from cheeseball cartoons to pre-digitzed old movies throughout my tot-hood. Shane's — "America's Oldest Candy Store" — was always a weird constant in my life come Christmas. Once I became an adult Old-City-ite, Shane's chocolates were the perfect cure for a hangover. I really can't thank them enough for that. I'm glad the delightfully arcane **Berley brothers** at the **Franklin Fountain** bought Shane's and will keep it fudging along. I'm sorry the **Snow White** nearby on Market is gone, too, even though **Luce Sena** promises his **Revolution House** will be homey. It he can keep the buttery oatmeal and fried-crisp scrapple on the menu, my whole past will be intact. ➢ This kid stuff reminds me of **KID FUN**, a sweet-and-useful column that **Sharla Feldscher** used to write for the Daily News (1979-'87) and read on the radio and television (KYW News and WTXF-29, before it was a FOX station). It was also a PSA featuring **Tug McGraw**. "It had timely suggestions on easy ideas to share with young children," says Feldscher. Well, she'll restart the column, as of June 1, for *New York Family* magazine (newyorkfamily.com), and launch a new blog with daily creative ideas at kidfunandmore.com. I'm a kid. I like fun. I may not love children. But I'll try. ➢ And speaking of family closer to my speed, mob-movie auteur **Sal Mazzotta** is looking for cashole for his upcoming non-Mafia thriller ***Hush Little Baby***. Mazzotta's playing a Bucks-based serial killer and has **Costas Mandylor**, **Tony Luke Jr.** and **Abe Vigode** ready to go — as soon as you give him and co-producer **Johnny "Roast Beef" Williams** money at June 5's fundraiser at Waterfall Room (Water and Snyder). Look for another *Hush* co-star **William Forsythe** to appear. Call 866-468-7619 for tix. ➢ Something like 10 months ago, I icepacked about the Brooklyn/ChiTown chain saloon **Crocodile Lounge** coming to the old Moda spot (110 Chestnut St.) in Old City. Into weeks, the Croc's mouth opens and for every beer you guzzle, you'll be eligible for free pizza. That's carbo-loading. ➢ Fun barroom rumors: One has the spot next to **Ruby Buffet** on Columbus Boulevard getting a drinkerie, which means those folks shopping for costumes in that strip mall'll be boozed up soon. And **Roosevelt's Pub**, every college jock's dream of a tony Walnut Street bar, is supposedly sold or will be selling soon. ➢ There's always more ice at citypaper.net/icepack. After that, you should bring your bucket over to citypaper.net/criticalmass for a refill.

(e_amorosi@citypaper.net)



CAT SCRATCH FEVER: Shmitten Kitten proprietor Anna Goldfarb (center) surrounds herself with the beefiest of cakes in preparation for her Mister America hosting duties.

NEAL SANTOS

[hot dudes]

ALL-MALE REVIEW

Who wins when Shmitten Kitten goes looking for Philly's studliest man? We do. By Julia West

SHMITTEN KITTEN'S MISTER AMERICA PAGEANT | *Thu., May 27, 8 p.m., $5. Johnny Brenda's, 1201 N. Frankford Ave., 877-435-9849, johnnybrendas.com.*

Anna Goldfarb isn't hosting a Mr. America beauty pageant as some kind of radical feminist statement. She's doing it because she loves Philly dudes. Goldfarb's irreverent dating blog, Shmitten Kitten (shmittenkitten.com), is her way of supporting the good guys and berating the dating world's failures. With the pageant, her words are made flesh, local studs are beckoned to parade around Johnny Brenda's stage and maybe get named the coolest dude on the block.

These contestants aren't just playing for individual glory (though the prizes are pretty sweet; see below), they're reppin' their 'hoods, from South Philly to the Great Northeast. "I gotta find the party animal from each neighborhood," says Goldfarb, who coerced her buddies to participate as contestants — including man-about-town/Barbary karaoke host Eddie Austin and a cat photographer. Yeah, a cat photographer. Swoon!

Each beefcake is given three chances to please. In the first round, the boys share their first-date duds and where they would take the lucky lady out on the town, giving a glimpse into who's in it to win it and who will be couch-surfing next Friday. Round 2 looks to be the most titillating: the talent competition. "The guy's talent could be playing harmonica, making a PowerPoint, doing 'Y.M.C.A.' perfectly," suggests Goldfarb. "Or it could be some karaoke power love." The final round will be the Q&A session, with open-ended situational questions that will mostly be dating-related.

The fates of all contestants will be at the feet of a panel of lady judges (judgettes?) including blogger Suzy Beerlass and *Metro* A&E editor (and former *City Paper* listings queen) Monica Weymouth.

And the top prize ain't nothing to sneeze at, a chance to judge the Cheerleaders amateur pole-dancing competition on Varsity Night. Not enough? The reigning super stud will also receive not one, but five cases of Sly Fox beer. "This is my vision. I want to make one guy's life totally rule for up to one week," says Goldfarb.

> "It's a big party with a little pageant."

Three quickie rounds and a dashing young Mister America will be crowned. While Philly's hottest will go home with beer and the promise of amateur boobs, Goldfarb is looking to make this a good time for everyone, whether they're attracted to the male of the species or not. "It's really just a big party with a little bit of pageant thrown in," she says.

A pageant where the lovely men of Philadelphia flaunt their stuff? You're welcome, ladies.

(julia.west@citypaper.net)

IF YOU WANT TO BE LISTED: *Submit information by mail (City Paper Listings, 123 Chestnut St., Third Floor, Philadelphia, PA 19106), e-mail (listings@citypaper.net) or fax (215-599-0634) to* ***Molly Eichel****. Include details of the event, dates, times, address of venue, telephone number and admission price, if any. Listings must be received at least* ***10 days in advance of publication****. Incomplete submissions will not be considered, and listings information will not be accepted over the phone.*

+ COMEDY

■ **COREY "ZOOMAN" MILLER** The "Zooman" does standup and impersonations. Fri., May 28, 8:30 & 10:45pm, $15; Sat., May 29, 8 :10 & 11:55pm, $15, Laff House, 221 South St., 215-440-4242.

■ **HIGH DRAMMA** No topic is off limits for this proudly irreverent sketch comedy troupe. Case in point. May shows poke fun at the critically acclaimed film "Precious." Fri-Sat, May 28-29, 9pm, $10, Walking Fish Theatre, 2850 Frankford Ave., 215-427-2822.

■ **JIMMY SHUBERT** A "special engagement" by the standup/TV actor/writer and big-screen comedian. Sat., May 29, 6pm, $20. Comedy Cabaret, Northeast Ramada, 11580 Roosevelt Blvd.

■ **KEITH ROBINSON** The comedian is a regular on "The Wanda Sykes Show." Thu., May 27, 8pm. Fri-Sat, 28-29, 8 & 10:30pm, $10-$30, Helium Comedy Club, 2031 Sansom St., 215-496-9001.

■ **NICK DIPAOLO** The Emmy nominated comedian was one of the stars on "Tough Crowd with Colin Quinn" and has appeared on a number of other Comedy Central shows. Thu., Jun. 3, 8pm, Fri-Sat, 4-5, 8 & 10:30pm, $17-$30. Helium Comedy Club, 2031 Sansom St., 215-496-9001.

■ **UNDER THE STARS** A "red carpet charitable event" to benefit Breaking Barriers Youth Program, hosted by comedian TuRae. Fri., May 28, 9pm, $45. The Charthouse Restaurant, 555 S. Columbus Blvd., 215-625-8383.

+ MUSIC

➤ rock/pop

THURSDAY 5/27

■ **EYES ON THE PRIZE** with Neagh Barhoods, Knee Deep and Sinking & James Corbi, 6pm, $7. Fire, 412 W Girard Ave., 267-671-9298.

■ **FANG ISLAND** with Univex, 7pm, $10. Barbery, 951 Frankford Ave., 215-423-8342.

■ **GONGUTS** with Kraftboo & Parcel, 6pm, $10-$12, Kung Fu Necktie, 1250 N. Front St., 215-291-4019.

■ **IMOGEN HEAP** 7pm, $30, Tower Theater, 16 S. 69th St., Upper Darby, 610-352-2887.

■ **RITUAL** A Jane's Addiction tribute band with Jawphaker & FU2, 8pm, $8. North Star Bar, 2639 Poplar St., 215-684-0808.

■ **SINCE THE COLLAPSE** with Ann Beam & Loner Ecolol, 9pm, $7. Fire, 412 W Girard Ave., 267-671-9298.

■ **THE MOVEMENT** with Flight School & Glen Leading, 9pm, $6. The Balcony (above Trocadero), 1003 Arch St.

■ **UGH, GOD** with Space Slats, Mega Fauna & Gorgeous, 9pm, $8. Khyber, 56 S. 2nd St., 215-238-5888.

■ **VIA MOTIVE** Formerly known as Drake, 9:30pm, $5-$8. Tritons, 1508 South St., 215-545-0476.

FRIDAY 5/28

■ **AVIVA AND THE FLYING PENGUINS**, 8-9:30pm, FREE. The Raven Lounge, 1716 Sansom St., 215-840-3577.

■ **BLOOD FEATHERS** with The Black Holmes & Dressed Like Stolen Cars, 9pm, $10. Johnny Brenda's, 1201 N. Frankford Ave., 215-739-9684.

■ **BRONZE RADIO RETURN** with Dan Mills & Forward-Motion, 8:30pm, $13-$15. World Cafe Live, 3025 Walnut St., 215-222-1400.

■ **CHRIS VALLEY** with Eellpan godPenny The Cedar The Last Soundtrack, Verge & Still Moon Servants, 9pm, $9-$12. The Balcony (above Trocadero), 1003 Arch St.

■ **CLASHING PLAID** with The Sound Outs, Razorblade Skin & Electric Bag, 9pm, $10-$12. Room, 15 W. Girard Ave., 215-739-5577.

■ **FREE ENERGY** with Jukebox The Ghost & Miniature Tigers, 7:30pm, $10-$12. First Unitarian Church, 2125 Chestnut St., 215-563-3980.

■ **HEYPENNY** with Sounds From Atlantis, 9pm, $5-$8. Tritons, 1508 South St., 215-545-0476.

■ **HIP HOP SHOWCASE**, 9pm, $10. Khyber, 56 S. 2nd St., 215-238-5888.

■ **JORDIN SPARKS** 9pm, $35-$55. Tropicana Showroom, 2831 Boardwalk Ave., Atlantic City, NJ, 180-034-58767.

■ **NEW KIDS ON THE BLOCK**, 8pm, $80.50. Borgata Casino, 1 Borgata Way, Atlantic City, NJ, 866-692-6742.

■ **SATISFACTION: A ROLLING STONES EXPERIENCE**, 8pm, $25-$30. Sellersville Theater 1894, 24 W. Temple Ave., Sellersville, 215-257-5808.

■ **STEAL YOUR FACE** 10pm, $5. Triumph Brewing Co., 400 Union Square, New Hope, 215-862-8300.

■ **STEPH HAYES AND THE GOOD PROBLEMS** with Chris Cubeta and The Lazy Club, 10:30pm, $8. Tin Angel, 20 S. 2nd St., 215-928-0770.

■ **TIM FITE** with Wailing Wail, 7:30pm, $8. Kung Fu Necktie, 1250 N. Front St., 215-291-4019.

■ **YELLOW SUBMARINE** A Reggae style Beatles tribute with The Groovement, TJ King & The Atomic Bomb & The Interventions, 9pm, $10. North Star Bar, 2639 Poplar St., 215-684-0808.

SATURDAY 5/29

■ **NEW KIDS ON THE BLOCK**, 8pm, $80.50. Borgata Casino, 1 Borgata Way, Atlantic City, NJ, 866-692-6742.

■ **NEW KIDS ON THE BLOCK.**

NEW! Happy Hour
Mon-Fri 4pm-6pm
½ Price
Local Drafts
&
Appetizers!
SOTR
A Beer Bar
Over 100 Beers!
www.southphiladelphiataproom.com
1509 MIFFLIN ST. • 215-271-7787
Open For Lunch!

The Note
West Chester, PA
142 E. Market Street
THU MAY 27th~8pm
Macadocious
The Socratic Method
The Chosen Ones
FRI MAY 28th~8pm
Keystoned
Diego Paulo
The Echo Base ~ LP Stiles
SAT MAY 29th~2pm
A FREE All Ages Event!
Bergopalooza
The third Annual Bergopalooza will be held Saturday May 29 2010 from 2-5 at The Note in West Chester PA!
Local Pianist, John Grecia, and Canadian Singer-Songwriter Peter Katz, will be performing
Help us raise money for the Nick Berg Memorial Scholarship Fund
Give a student the gift of education!
SAT MAY 29th~8pm
Downingtown Skate Park Benefit
Toxic Life ~ The Noid
Murder, Texas ~ McRad
TUE JUNE 1st~7pm
An ALL AGES Event!
The Crowd Control Tour Feat.
Kidz In The Hall
88 Keys
Keys n' Krates
WED JUNE 2nd~7pm
An ALL AGES Event!
Brendan James
Chase Coy
Me and this Army
For Our Full Schedule, Tickets & Club Info, Check Our Web Site
www.thenotewc.com

LEARN TANGO THIS SUMMER
what are you waiting for?
PHILADELPHIATANGOSCHOOL.COM

ELECTRIC FACTORY
PHIL COLLINS
PERFORMING 60'S/SOUL AND MOTOWN HITS
18 Piece Ensemble Featuring The Funk Brothers, Chester Thompson, Daryl Stuermer & Brad Cole
TWO SHOWS! SUN JUNE 20 AT 2PM
Ted Nugent
special guest
KAL SWAN
SAT JUNE 19 8:30PM
Hole
special guest
FOXY SHAZAM
THU JUNE 22 AT 8PM
THE NATIONAL
THE ANTLERS
SATURDAY SHOW SOLD OUT!
FRI JUNE 4 8:30PM
BROKEN BELLS
(BRIAN MICHAEL & JAMES MERCER OF THE SHINS)
THE MORNING BENDERS
SUN JUNE 6 8PM
TAKING BACK SUNDAY
PERSON L
THUR JUNE 24 8:30PM
THE NEW DEAL
BROTHERS PAST
SAT JUNE 26 8:30PM
ELECTRICFACTORY.INFO
Electric Factory Box Office (Mon - Sat, Noon - 7pm, No Service Fee for Cash Purchases), Ticketmaster.com, Ticketmaster Outlets or by Phone at 1-800-745-3000
7TH & WILLOW
SPONSORED BY Coastal Borgata

dj nights

A SELECTIVE GUIDE TO WHAT BANGS IN PHILLY. | BY GAIR MARKING AKA DEV79

W	Weekly		Drum 'n' Bass		Hip-hop		Rock/Pop
M	Monthly		Dubstep/Garage		House		Techno
1	One-off		Electro		Latin		Top 40
N/C	No Charge		Experimental		Progressive House		Hip-hop/ R&B
	Breaks		Funk/Soul				Trance
	Downtempo		Goth/Industrial		Reggae		World

700 Club
700 N. Second St., 215-413-3181

Arts Garage
15th and Parrish streets, 215-765-2702

Barbary
951 Frankford Ave., 215-423-8342

Fluid
615 S. Fourth St., 215-629-0663

Kung Fu Necktie
1250 N. Front St., 215 291-4013

Liberty Bar
2004 Market St., 215-496-9797

M Room
15 W. Girard Ave., 215-739-5577

Medusa Lounge
27 S. 21st St., 215-557-1961

Ocio
221 N. Columbus Blvd.

PYT
1050 N. Hancock St., 215-864-9039

Voyeur Club
1921 St. James St., 215-735-5773

Walnut Room Redux
1700 Walnut St., 215 751-0201

THU., MAY 27

▪ **THE STALLIONS VS TBO 1** @ w @ Fluid w/Levelfingers, Justin V, Lee Douglas, Tenev M. Shearn. Create the party in your head and then project yourself into the club. It'll be the best time you always wanted to have. $8

▪ **SNACKS W** @ Voyeur Club w/Dave P, Adam Sparkles. Get it homemin' with cookie treats, call for price

▪ **TROUNCE 1** @ Barbary w/DJ Dirty Sean Thomas, Billy W-Night of fear and soul control, expect to hear the best in deep disco boogie and house sounds, call for price

▪ **DANCETERIA M** @ 700 Club w/Mr. Tee Fingers & DJ Royal T. Go and get ya fill of '80s disco rap and roller-skating jams while classic *Soul Train* videos play in the background, call for price

FRI., MAY 28

▪ **ROBOTIQUE 1** @ Kung Fu Necktie w/Soft Rocks, Billy W, Ryan T. Brighton. a DJ/producer quartet brang its unique refixes and originals to the Fishtown dancefloor. $5

▪ **DROPPIN' SCIENCE M** @ Arts Garage w/Dave Shichman, Raw-Q, Malavil, Dub-C, B-Rills, Izzo. For all the soul boys and gals to bounce the night away. no cover

▪ **GET RENT | HIPSTERS VS. HO-MOS M** @ Medusa Lounge w/Aust Jass, Raj Ibanez Baby, Heagle Jawas. Party mouse rockin' both sides of the fence, no cover

▪ **FOURTH FRIDAYS @ LIBERTY M** @ Liberty Bar w/Pat Egan, Linda Leigh, Paul Ragler. Great music and groovy vibes each time out. call for price.

▪ **ELECTRIC BUTTER M** @ PYT w/DJ Psh Scsnz. Party musics of all varieties, call for price.

SAT., MAY 29

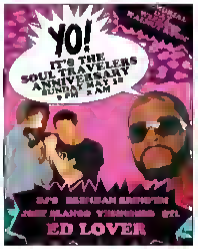
▪ **DOUBLE DIVISION 1** @ M Room w/Ikonika, Natty Reh Peep, Lady Prowl, Gun$ Garren. Jass Okay. The first lady of Hyperdub swings through Philly on her first North American tour for a night of gods wielding bass, call for price

▪ **LA NEWS 1** @ Medusa Lounge w/LA News. Ed Blamm, Maxica Mastalve and Nicole La Marca host this blast-off so ya can get ya asses in gear, call for price

▪ **TASTY TREATS W** @ Fluid w/9th Wonder, Sonny Jamess, Mike Nyce, hosted by Yamesen. Celebrating 10 years of Okayplayer, they're bringin' through the superstar DJ/producer to dazzle the dance, ladies free before 11 p.m., $7

SUN., MAY 30

▪ **SUNDAE 1** @ Ocio w/Lee Jonas, Dirty Guests, Sundae's going seven years strong giving you open-air dancing and great vibes, call for price.



SUN., MAY 30

+ YO! IT'S THE SOUL TRAVELERS ANNIVERSARY

▪ @ & $ 10 Walnut Room Redux w/Ed Lover, Brendan Bring'em, Joey Blanco, Yeamindeed, STL. $10. $5 with RSVP at walnutroomredux.com. Watching all these Philly parties having anniversaries is giving me that warm 'n fuzzy feelin. It's a dope thing that Philly's immense DJ talent is still holding it down. Not only is the Soul Travelers b-day a great reason to rock out on its own, but former Yo! MTV Raps host Ed Lover is coming out of the woodwork to throw it down proper. You have off on Monday, so there's no excuse not to wile the fuck out.

More on citypaper.net

Philly Beer Week Events!

215.545.4101
263 S. 15th Street
www.josepistolas.com

Jose Pistola's

MONDAY – THURSDAY NIGHT
at 11:35pm join us for **LATE NIGHT WITH JOE GUNN** including live musical guests, special industry guests & hilarious contests & prizes

FRIDAY, JUNE 4, 11:30AM
MEET THE BREWER FOR LUNCH WITH SLY FOX
Some very special offerings from Brian O'Reilly and Sly Fox including a firkin of the Chester County Bitter and some vintage Incubus. Suzy Woods holdin' it down and Chef Lauren Clark cookin' up a storm

SATURDAY, JUNE 5
SUPER SATURDAY WITH BELL'S BREWING
Some draught offerings include the Barrel Aged Hell Hath No Fury Consecrator Hopslam and way more. Plus special guests from the brewery

SUNDAY, JUNE 6 11AM START
THE CHRISTMAS BRUNCH SUFFET
A Christmas Brunch Buffet with all the fixins. We'll be offering flights of our aged X-mas beers on draught. Some offerings include Scaldis Noel, Dupont Avec Les Bons Vieux, and Med Elf Plus, a special guest appearance by Santa Case with gifts for all the naughty little girls and boys.

SUNDAY, JUNE 9, 9PM
JOHN TURNER OVERDRIVE
J.T. spinnin' that old time Rock n' Roll. Canned craft beer specials.

MONDAY, JUNE 7
LUNCH WITH FLYING DOG
A killer firkin of the Snake Dog IPA, as well as the Belgian style IPA "Raging Bitch" and the Barrel-Aged Gonzo Porter.

MONDAY, JUNE 7, 5-7PM
MEET THE BREWER FOR HAPPY HOUR WITH CANTILLON
We are unbelievably fortunate to have Jean Van Roy of The Cantillon Brewery joining us with his unbelievable selection of Lambics, Gueuzes and Fruit Beers. Don't miss this!

MONDAY, JUNE 7, 7:30-11PM
MEET THE BREWER WITH ARCADIA BREWING
Craziness always seems to happen when Rick Suarez and Timmy Surprise are in the house

TUESDAY, JUNE 8
LUNCH WITH LEFT HAND BREWING
Featuring a pint of Jackman's dry hopped pale ale as well as co-founder Eric Wallace

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 9
LUNCH WITH SIERRA NEVADA
Come and meet Brian Grossman! Draught offerings include the KellerWeis as well as the Charlie, Fred and Ken's lager.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 9, 7-11PM
THE EXTREME HOMEBREW CHALLENGE
with Sam Calagione of Dogfish Head and George and Nancy of Home Sweet Homebrew. $15 to be a judge and have all-you-can-drink homebrew and Pistola's Munchies

THURSDAY, JUNE 10
MEET ROB TOO OF ALLAGASH FOR LUNCH
We'll be pouring the Confluence, the Black, the White... and some other special surprises. As always, Chef Lauren hooks up some Mains-based cuisine

THURSDAY, JUNE 10
HAPPY HOUR WITH TOMME ARTHUR OF PORT BREWING AND LOST ABBEY
We have a load of cool Lost Abbey stuff including the Barrel-Aged Angel's Share. Gift of the Meji and way more. Pistola's Pizza specials in honor of Pizza Port.

THURSDAY, JUNE 10, 8PM
MEET THE BLENDER "BIG MEX"
The best sangria in the world.

FRIDAY, JUNE 11
MEET THE BREWER FOR LUNCH WITH WEYERBACHER
Please come and meet Chris Wilson and some of Weyerbacher's more sexy offerings.

OPEN FOR ALL WORLD CUP GAMES

+ AGENDA PICKS

[mad hot ballroom]



➤ PHILADELPHIA INTERNATIONAL TANGO FESTIVAL

"This way of living — staying out till 4 dancing, listening to live music and going out to dinner afterward — is common in Buenos Aires but not here," says Meredith Klein, executive director of Philadelphia Argentine Tango School. "We're trying to bring that to Philadelphia." Her method? The first-ever Philadelphia International Tango Festival, chock-full of classes, performances and dancing the night away. *Fri., May 28, 8 p.m.-3 a.m.; Sat., May 29, 2 p.m.-4 a.m.; Sun., May 30, 4 a.m.-11:30 p.m.; $10-$40. Philadelphia Argentine Tango School, 2030 Frankford Ave., 617-291-3798, philadelphiatangofestival.com.*

—Tom Tibaldi

[the band played on]

➤ ROCKIN' REELS



From concert documentaries to coming-of-agers, music-heavy movies guarantee personal drama, oversize theatrics and, of course, great soundtracks. Rockin' Reels, a collaboration (supergroup?) between the Philadelphia Film Society and 102.9 WMGK, is book-ended with two legendary docs. The series begins with Martin Scorsese's *The Last Waltz* (Thu., May 27), about The Band's last gig, and ends with native son Jonathan Demme's Talking Heads film *Stop Making Sense* (Thu., Sept. 16). *Thu., May 27-Thu., Sept. 16, 7 p.m., free. Pizza at Schmidts, 1050 N. Hancock St., atthepizza.com.*

—Molly Eichel

[politicking]

➤ SLATE POLITICAL GABFEST

David Plotz, John Dickerson and Philadelphia's own Emily Bazelon of the online mag Slate are dropping in for a live broadcast and self-described "gabfest" on today's hot-button issues. Stay late to spew out your own brilliant ideas during the post-show audience Q&A. *Thu., May 27, 7pm, $12-$30. Friends Center, 1501 Cherry St., 215-241-7000, phillygabfest.eventbrite.com.*

—Tom Tibaldi

[dirty jerz]

➤ WHEELS, WIRE, & WHIMSY FROM THE JERSEY SHORE

Tammy Smith rings in the summer by paying homage to the Jersey shore. Through sculpture, Smith captures the spirit of vacated carnival attractions by celebrating both their thrill-seeking nature as well as the eeriness of their demise, creating mood through the juxtaposition of bold and drab colors; the result of this contradiction falls somewhere between *Moulin Rouge* and *A Nightmare Before Christmas*. *June 1-30, free, Langman Gallery, 2500 Moreland Road, Willow Grove, 215-657-8333, langmangallery.com.*

—Mandy Bee















POLARIS
Formerly "The Starlight Ballroom"
460 N 9th St. Philadelphia, PA
Btwn Callowhill & Spring Garden Sts.
RAGS 2 RICHES TOUR
FEAT.
BROADWAY
JUKEBOX THE GHOST
MARINA AND THE DIAMONDS
FRIDAY MAY 28TH Doors @ 6:30PM
Hanzel und Gretyl
SEPTEMBER
ASTRID HAVEN
SAT. JUNE 12TH
KONKRETE JUNGLE
PHILLY
ALL AGES
DANCE PARTY!
FRI. JUNE 18TH
VEIL VEIL VANISH
ENTERTAINMENT
MIGHTY MIKE SAGA SYSTEMIC AUDIO PRESENTS...
i ♥ INDUSTRIAL
SATURDAY JULY 3RD, 2010
FEATURING
NACHTMAHR & UBERBYTE
SAT. JUNE 19TH
SAT. JULY 3RD
JULY 16 : KONKRETE JUNGLE
JULY 22 : THE GHOST INSIDE
JULY 24 : CAP N JAZZ
AUG 4 : BOXES AND RUSSIAN
AUG 7 : DEFCON DANCE PARTY
AUG 13-15 : THIS IS HARDCORE
AUG 20 . ANDROID LUST
AUG 27-29 : HOSTILE CITY DEATHFEST
ADVANCED TICKETS AVAILABLE AT:
ticketfly
ticketfly.com
528 South 4th St.
crashbangboomonline.com
711 East Passyunk Ave.
myspace.com/salonsugar
215-769-2780 / Box Office 215-908-2063
POLARISPHILLY.COM

8pm, $85 50 Borgata Casino 1 Borgata Way, Atlantic City NJ 866 692-6742.

■ **COHEED AND CAMBRIA**, 8pm $30 $35 House of Blues 801 Boardwalk Ave. Atlantic City NJ 609-236-2583

■ **GIL SCOTT-HERON** 7pm $25 Tin Angel 20 S. 2nd St. 215-928-0770

■ **IKONIKA** with Natty Boh Peep 10pm, $5 M Room, 18 W Girard Ave 215-739-5577

■ **KING SICK-A-BILLY** with Full Blown Cherry & The McGunks 9pm $9-$12 Kung Fu Necktie 1250 N Front St. 215 291-4913

■ **MAIN STREET CRUISERS** 8pm $9 50-$30 Sellersville Theater 1894 24 W Temple Ave. Sellersville, 215-257-5808

■ **NEW PONY** 10pm, $5 Triumph Brewing Co., 400 Union Square New Hope, 215-862-8300

■ **OF MONTREAL** with Neot D'Neot, 9pm, $24 TLA, 334 South St. 215-922-1011

■ **STEVE-ONPOINT** with South Broad, DJ Ha & Aqui 8pm $8 Khyber 56 S 2nd St 215 238 5888

■ **THE ABSOLUTE ZEROS** with Up the Chain Dan Marr & City Line, 6pm, $13-$16 World Café Live 3025 Walnut St. 215 222 1400

■ **THE BESNARD LAKES** with Land Of Talk & Helexpaw 8pm $10-$12 Johnny Brenda's 1201 N Frankford Ave 215 739 9684

■ **THE CREATURES OF THE GOLDEN DAWN** with The Improbables & The Tulanes 8:30pm, $5-$8 Tritone, 1508 South St 215-545-0475

■ **THE WARHAWKS** with Crazy Man Crazy & Davis Howley 9pm $9 North Star Bar, 2639 Poplar St 215-684-0508

SUNDAY 5/30

■ **CRYPT KEEPER FIVE** with Nu Lover Nikki and the Weeps & Our Fair City 8pm $5 Khyber 56 S. 2nd St . 215-238-5888

■ **GIL SCOTT-HERON**, 6pm, $25 Tin Angel 20 S 2nd St. 215-928 0770

■ **HIGHWAY 61 REVISITED** A Bob Dylan tribute 7 30pm $21 50-$26 50 Sellersville Theater 1894 24 W Temple Ave Sellersville, 215 257 5808

■ **HOLY FUCK** with Nice Nice & Grandchildren 8pm $10 Johnny Brenda s 1201 N Frankford Ave. 215 739-9684

■ **SLOPPY SECONDS** with Love Gutter & The Shockies 3pm, $10-$12, Kung Fu Necktie 1250 N Front St 215-291-4913

■ **THE RESTARTS** with Star Fucking Hipsters Guilt Trip & Population Zero 8pm, $10 M Room, 15 W Girard Ave. 215-739-5577

■ **THE STEREO FLYS** with The Goodnight Process 10pm $5-$8 Tritone, 1508 South St. 215-545-0475

■ **THE WALLACE BROTHERS BAND** 8pm $5-$8 Tritone, 1508 South St 215-545-0475

■ **TITO EL BAMBINO** 8pm $45-$55 House of Blues, 801 Boardwalk Ave. Atlantic City, NJ 609-236-2583

MONDAY 5/31

■ **LADIES ROCK PHILLY & SUGARTOWN** 8pm $5-$8 Tritone 1508 South St 215-545-0475

TUESDAY 6/1

■ **BROAD STREET BLUES** with C O D Trio & Train to Nowhere, 8pm, $8 Khyber 56 S. 2nd St., 215-238-5888

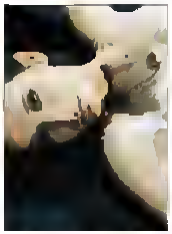
■ **CRACKER** with Wimeskun, 8pm, $20 Triumph Brewing Co. 400 Union Square New Hope, 215-862-8300

■ **EDDIE SPAGHETTI** 8 30pm, $10-$12 The Trocadero, 1003 Arch St.

shoppingspree

By Julia West





➤ SLEEP SERIES II

Lithuanian-born Zivile Pupinyte creates jewelry that wavers between her sleeping world and our waking one. Inspired by her dreams, travels and passion for architecture, Pupinyte's collection, aptly titled Sleep, is the second and final installment in a series that could be called wearable art minus the pretensions that term elicits. Her jewelry has a sculptural quality without being unwearable. But that doesn't mean it's for the faint of heart; Pupinyte's work is full of statement pieces that are meant to stand out rather than simply accessorize.

Pupinyte, who moved to Philadelphia in 2002, is able to fuse strikingly different materials into a single new texture. "I like to use objects that are for the household, like steel retaining rings that are normally for plumbing," she says. Pairing the hardware with nature's own creations, such as fan coral, brings out the paradox in each medium. "My point is to show how the rough material can be beautiful and delicate," she says, "while the raw material is not as fragile as you thought."

Her outdoor garden show will be one more way for the artist to brush away barriers. In addition to the still models who will show off Pupinyte's pieces, dancers from blacklight-masked theater troupe ArcheDream will perform a dance choreographed by Jessica Kroboth.

Dance and jewelry are linked in Pupinyte's mind. "In the first series, the women were like fairies, the fairies of my dreams," she told me, trying to keep the connection vague so the show would be a surprise. "Now they are coming to life, moving and interacting with the public." *Sun., June 6. 6-9 p.m. free. Arbol Café, 209 Poplar St. 215-923-3150. zivileart.com*

(julia.west@citypaper.net)

Have an upcoming shopping event? Give it here. E-mail listings@citypaper.net.

STUDIO QUALITY ART • IN A WALK-IN SHOP
Full Service. Friendly
Custom Designs !
Traditional !
Cover - Ups !
Portraits !
7 DAYS
215 922 7384
TATTOO BY: DIRTY BIRD
621 TATTOO
621 SOUTH 4TH ST

★JOHNNY BRENDA'S★
THU
SHMITTEN KITTEN PRESENTS
THE MISTER AMERICA PAGEANT
W/ MUSIC PROVIDED BY ROCKTITS!
FRI
BLOOD FEATHERS
THE BLACK HOLLIES
DRESSED LIKE STOLEN CARS
DOWNSTAIRS: FRIDAY HAPPY HOUR WITH DJS MIKELE EDWARDS AND JEFF ZEIGLER (NO COVER)
SAT
JOHNNY BRENDA'S AND RS PRESENT
THE BESNARD LAKES
LAND OF TALK, HOLOPAW
SUN
RS PRESENTS
HOLY F*CK
NICE NICE, GRANDCHILDREN
WED
RS PRESENTS
BLUE ROOEO
CUFF THE DUKE
UPCOMING:
6.9 ATHLETE WITH CARNEY
6.4 GIL MANTERA'S PARTY DREAM
6.5 BLACK LANDLORD
CORNER OF FRANKFORD & GIRARD, FISHTOWN. WWW.JOHNNYBRENDAS.COM

THE BLOCKLEY
PRESENTS
The Psychedelic Furs

WITH GUEST
SHE WANTS REVENGE
June 2nd

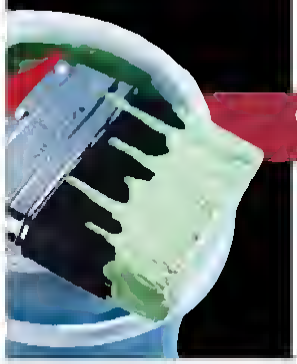
Doors 7:30 pm
Show @ 9pm
$30 ADV/ $35 @ Door 21+
For Tickets Visit theblockley.com
38th & Chestnut st 215-222-1234

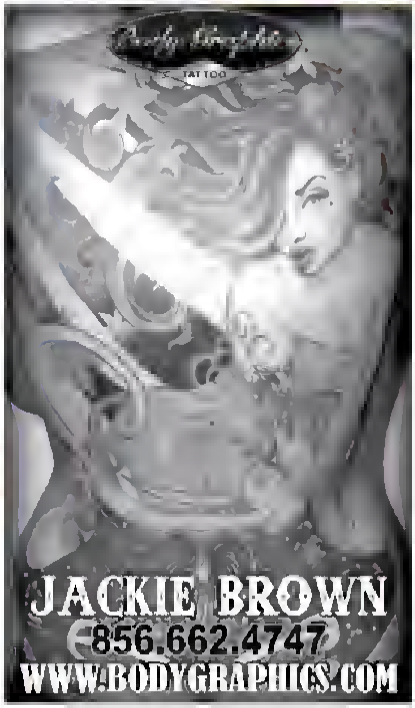
world cafe Live
Marah
Philly Beer Week "He Said Beer, She Said Wine" Tasting Dinner with Sam Calagione & Marnie Old
SUNDAY JUNE 6 7:30PM
Jamie Lidell
allison moorer
TIFT MERRITT
COREY SMITH
BOBBY LONG
Sally Seltzmann
Amy Cook
THURSDAY JUNE 17 6PM
worldcafelive.com | twitter.com/worldcafelive
3025 WALNUT ST | 215 222 1400 | FREE PARKING

MILKBOY COFFEE
Saturday June 5, 9:30pm

Guardian Banks
Michelle Lewis
Kyle Swartzwelder
Benyers
The Whispering Tree
Sarah Blecker
The Beekeepers
Justin Trawick
Stonethrown
Braxton Parker
2 E Lancaster Ave Ardmore Pa 19003 610.645.5289
www.milkboycoffee.com

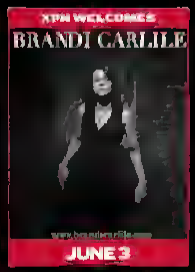

fearless compassion
Free Public Talk
TIBETAN BUDDHIST MASTER
Gelek Rimpoche
Addresses developing genuine and fearless compassion
FRIDAY, JUNE 4, 7:30PM
Arch Street Friends Meeting House
320 Arch Street
www.jewelheart.org

INTERIOR/EXTERIOR
RESIDENTIAL
COMMERCIAL
ECCLESIASTICAL
HISTORICAL RESTORATION

Prestigious Painting & Decorating
Specializing in custom residential and historical restorations.
Contact us to schedule a COMPLIMENTARY consultation!
267-252-2000 • www.theprestigiouspainters.com
EXPERIENCE With 15 years in the business, Prestigious Painting has established a reputation for integrity and expert knowledge in coatings and applications
QUALITY We only use the highest quality products and application techniques on your home or business
GUARANTEE We offer a 2 year guarantee on our work, so you don't have to worry about the finished product after we have left.



HOUSE OF BLUES
AT SHOWBOAT® ATLANTIC CITY

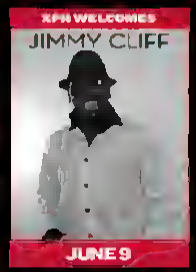


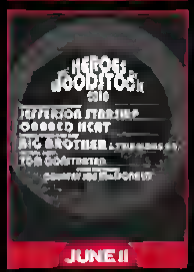
















6.23 CINDERELLA with Keel
6.25 50 CENT presents "The Invitation"
6.26 GLADYS KNIGHT
6.27 DWEEZIL ZAPPA PLAYS ZAPPA
7.02 DIERKS BENTLEY
7.03 DIDDY, Dirty Money & Friends
7.04 THE FLAMING LIPS
7.09 REBELUTION
7.10 BEN BURNLEY ACOUSTIC: The Music of Breaking Benjamin
7.17 THE GO-GO'S
7.22 CHRISETTE MICHELE
7.23 GEORGE THOROGOOD
7.24 CROWDED HOUSE
7.28 TOWER OF POWER with Average White Band

Showboat Casino
801 Boardwalk, Atlantic City, NJ
800.224.BLUE

For Complete Concert Listings Log On To
HOBATSHOWBOAT.COM

ticketmaster
800.745.3000

Show and buffet packages available!
Stay the night in VIP-style in one of our chic and exclusive House Of Blues Studio Suites.
HOB Suite packages available on Ticketmaster.com.

Management reserves the right to change or cancel this event or any element of it. Must be 21 or older to gamble, enter and remain in this area. Gambling problem? Call 1-800-GAMBLER. ©2010 Harrah's Licensed Company, LLC

Silk City

SILKCITYPHILLY.COM
5TH & SPRING GARDEN

THURSDAY 5/27
MO SS NO PROBLEMS
DJ SAMMY SLICE
DJ COOL HAND LUKE
HOST TU PHACE

FRIDAY 5/28
DJ FROSTY

SATURDAY 5/29
DJ DEEJAY

SUNDAY 5/30
SUNDAE
DJs LEE JONES & DIRTY
GUEST DJ RICH MEDINA

MONDAY 5/31
BACK 2 BASICS
GUEST DJ LUCAS RIVERA

TUESDAY 6/1
JEF LEE JOHNSON TRIO

WEDNESDAY 6/2
SOLOMONIC SOUND
ITAL SOUND
RASCUL INT'L

COMING UP
6/4 HOT MESS
6/6 SUNDAE NITE W/QUESTLOVE
6/8 PONY PANTS/POST POST
6/9 LEANA SONG

THE EL BAR
UNDER THE EL

- Girard
- Sat. May 29th, 9pm $5
 Dave Simons presents - The Paper Laterns, Funkharp and The Holcomb Family
- Sat. June 5th, 9pm $5
 The Flywatters CD Release Party with The Victims, The Improbables and Mr Unloved
- Sun. June 6th, 5pm $10 Donation
 Friends of Joey Roy- A Benefit Clashing Plaid, Smokes & the Rollers, and Special Guests
- Monday Night Jazz
 Every First Monday with The Fishtown Jazz Odyssey NO COVER
- Wed Nite Open Mic
 'Original Music' 9pm w/ Dave Robins or Alex the Rockstarr
- Happy Hour
 Mondays-Fridays 5-7pm $2.50 Kensinger Pints & More!
- Fish from Loafess now serving drinks Fridays till 7pm
- New anniversary T-shirts now available - 40 years under the El!
- ...and Miss PacMan is here!
- Beer of the Month
 PHILADELPHIA BREWING COMPANY'S FLEUR DE LEHIGH

www.theelbar.com
1336 N. Front St. • Phila.
215-634-6430

khyber
56 South 2nd St

27 THURSDAY 8PM
UGH, GOD
Space Slut, Mona Foune, Gorgeous

28 FRIDAY 9PM
VISION AND MIC Q PRESENT A NIP NOP SHOWCASE

29 [illegible]
STEVE-ONPOINT
South Bound, DJ Hot Aqua

30 SUNDAY 8PM
CRYPT KEEPER FIVE
The Dumdies (f/Mike from the Bravery) No Lovers (f/Mike from the Bravery) Nikki and the Wasps, Our Fire City

31 MONDAY 8PM
KHYBER KARAOKE W.T.J PARTY PETER

1 TUESDAY 8PM
BROAD STREET BLUES
[illegible] From Dallas, Texas to Newtown

2 WEDNESDAY 8PM
JESUS' OLDER BROTHER
Purple on Like You, Golmides

3 THURSDAY 9PM
MACHINE GUN JOE
Electric Sex Power, Yukon Baby, Gilmore's Drift

NOW SERVING FOOD NOON TILL 7PM
$1 DOMESTIC BOTTLES HAPPY HOUR
215.238.5888
WWW.THEKHYBER.COM

TAVERN 17

$1.00 SLIDER
$2.00 DRAFT
$3.00 COCKTAIL
$4.00 WINE
$5.00 POUND OF PEEL AND EAT SHRIMP

HAPPY HOUR
5pm – 7pm NIGHTLY

S. 17th St.
tavern17restaurant.com

RUM BAR
LOUNGE • RESTAURANT

Mojito Mondays
Half Price Mojitos All Night Long!

Two Dollar Tuesdays
$2 Rum & Cokes
$2 Miller Lites
$2 Mini Burgers
$2 Chicken Fingers

Save The Daiquiri Wednesdays
Live Reggae (starts @ 8:30)
Half Price Daiquiris
$1 Jerk Wings

20th & Walnut
215-751-0404
www.RumBarPhilly.com

Fergie's pub

FRIDAY, MAY 28
SCRAPPY HAPPY TIME 6PM
NEW PONY 10PM

SATURDAY, MAY 29
TRADITIONAL IRISH MUSIC SESSION 4PM
DAN COLLINS' SONGWRITER SHOWCASE 10PM

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 2
AN EVENING WITH CHEF-SEA MCBEE AND BOB KEEL 9PM $5

BOOK YOUR NEXT PARTY AT FERGIE'S!
GRADUATION, BIRTHDAY, ANNIVERSARY

MONDAY NIGHTS
BEST OPEN MIC IN TOWN 9:30PM

TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS
QUIZZO PUB QUIZ 9:30PM

NO COVER DOWNSTAIRS!

FREE, 21+
WWW.FERGIES.COM
WWW.MYSPACE.COM/FERGIES
BOOKING@FERGIES.COM
1214 SANSOM ST.
215-928-8118

Kildare's
~MONDAY~
WING NIGHT - $0.35 Wings
$2 Yuenglings ALL DAY!
$3 Smirnoffskis 11pm-12am,
$3 Three Olive Drinks 10pm-12am
Open Mic Night @ 9:30pm
~TUESDAY~
$5 Burgers
$3 Victory Pints ALL DAY!
$3 Well Drinks 9-11pm,
$5 Layered Pints 9pm-11pm
Manayunk's Jeno PUB Quiz Music @ 10pm
~WEDNESDAY~
½ Price Appetizer Sampler
$3 Blue Moons ALL DAY
$3 U-Call-Its 10pm-12am,
$4 Hairy 10pm-12am
Live Acoustic Music by Brian Fitzgerald & Friends @ 9pm
~THURSDAY~
$2 Miller Lites ALL DAY!
$2 Bombs 9pm-11pm,
$3 Well Drinks 9pm-11pm
Music Upstairs by DJ Freezie @ 9pm
~FRIDAY~
$3 Coors Lights ALL DAY!
$3 Captain & Cokes 9pm-11pm
Music Upstairs by DJ Kid Kerberos @ 10pm
~SATURDAY~
$3 Bud Lights ALL DAY!
DJ Nevada @ 10pm
~SUNDAY~
$3 Stella Pints ALL DAY!
$3 Sweet Tea Vodkas,
$4 Guinness 9pm-11pm
Main St, Manayunk
215.482.7442
man@kildarespub.com

ROOSEVELTS & Room VII
23RD & WALNUT
215-569-8879
FLYERS
STANLEY CUP ACTION
$2 Bud Lights
FRIDAY HAPPY HOUR
1¢ DRINKS & DRAFTS
5-7PM
EVERY SATURDAY NIGHT
1¢ DRINKS & DRAFTS
10PM-12AM
FOOD BUFFET
OUTSIDE CAFE
NOW OPEN
CHECK OUT OUR NEW MENU
PHILLIES
$2 Bud Light during the games
Thursday Quizzo
VOTED BEST OF PHILLY
$3 Craft Pints
ROOSEVELTS23.COM

12 steps down
GROUP THERAPY BAR
IF YOU DON'T LIKE IT YOU CAN LEAVE... CUZ WE GOT TAKE OUT!
DOWNSTAIRS ON THE CORNER OF 9TH & CHRISTIAN
12STEPSDOWN.COM
TWELVESTEPSDOWN@AOL.COM
215.238.0379

LAS VEGAS LOUNGE
$14
MARGARITA PITCHERS
ALL THE TIME
704 Cheetnut St.
215.592.9533
LasVegasLounge.com

TROCADERO THEATRE
THE NEW PORNOGRAPHERS ON TOUR
With The Decemberists & The Duke & The King
NEW SHOW!
JUNE 21st
wxpn
THU. 6/3 DIANE BIRCH @ THE BALCONY with JAMIE
8pm
the Legwarmers
ULTIMATE 80'S TRIBUTE BAND!
AGE 21+ FRI. 6/4
"FIRST IN" Productions Presents
FUNKY FRESH FLASHBACK TOUR VOL.1
SAT. 6/5
Special Ed - Schooly D - EST
Sweet Tee - Chubb Rock
AGE 21+
FEAR FACTORY
SUN. 6/6
PRONG - SILENT CIVILIAN - THY WILL BE DONE - WORLD LOST
CocoRosie
JUNE 9 - with DIANE CLUCK
LIVE MONSTER FIGHTING TOURNAMENT!
SAT. 6/12
KAIJU BIG BATTEL
BLITZEN TRAPPER
JUNE 15 - with THE MOONDOGGIES
An Evening of Comedy with
JIM JEFFERIES
FRI. 6/18 - SEATED SHOW - AGE 18+
at THE BALCONY
MAY 27 THE MOVEMENT FlightSkool Alan Landing (21+)
MAY 28 AFTON PRESENTS: CHRIS VALLEY Eclipse, getPenny
The Codes, The Last Soundtrack, Verge, Still Moon Servants
JUN 01 EDDIE SPAGHETTI of SUPERSUCKERS
Soap O Matic Productions & No Reward Productions (21+)
JUN 02 AFTON PRESENTS: KIDD & BLESS, Craig Myers, Cephalic, Real Talk (Iuciter), L-R "The Young Legendary", Odyn
JUN 05 Mantis Entertainment Presents: IN AMBER
Portland Senator - Band of Strangers - Emotional Wreck
JUN 07 MOVIE MONDAY: GHOSTBUSTERS (21+)
Arrive before 7pm and get a FREE beer and a bag of popcorn
JUN 10 Center Stage Promotions Presents
LYRICALLY FIT SERIES (21+)
JUN 12 KARAOKE GONG SHOW & ROCK BAND 2 SHRED-A-THON!
KAIJU BIG BATTEL after-party - Hosted by Skeletor (21+)
1003 Arch Street Philadelphia - 215.922.0886
theballcony.com - myspace.com/theballconyphiladelphia
Ticketmaster: 1.800.74[illegible].3000 - ticketmaster.com

BARBARY
BYOB FRANKFORD & DELAWARE AVE
Thursday 5/27
TROUNCE
Boogie Disco Detroit & Tech House
Dirty Sean Thomas, Billy W
Friday 5/28
STILETTOS
A Night of Pop, HipHop & Indie
Dive Artists Live Performances
by Sgt Sass $5
Saturday 5/29
SAFARI
3 Parties 3 Floors Bouffant Bangout
Tigerbeats Bodyshine $5
Sunday 5/30
KARAOKE NIGHT
Kevin C and Eddie Austin
Dollar Drink Till 11
Monday 5/31
TIGERBEATS
Indie Dance Party
Tuesday 6/1
90'S PARTY
Philthy Paul Passable Plastic
W/ Price & Milano
Wednesday 6/2
BOUFFANT BANGOUT
50's Punk Primevals
60's Surf Psychedelics
French Ye-Ye, DJ Snackpak & Friends
No Cover

MORIARTY'S
SPECIALS
JOIN US FOR PHILLY BEER WEEK!
THURSDAY 5/27
$3 Heineken
20 oz. drafts & bottles
FRIDAY 5/28
$3 Sierra Nevada
20 oz. drafts
SATURDAY 5/29
$2 Coors Light
20 oz. drafts & bottles
KARAOKE W/ DJ BOB
9pm – 1:30am
SUNDAY 5/30
$2 Yuengling
20 oz. drafts & bottles
Come Watch the Phillies!
MONDAY 5/31
$2 Miller Lite bottles
TUESDAY 6/1
$3 Victory
20 oz. drafts & bottles
WEDNESDAY 6/2
$3 Sam Adams
20 oz. drafts & bottles
1118 Walnut St, Philadelphia
www.moriartyspub.com
215.627.7676

VANGO LOUNGE & SKYBAR
Open every night
Kitchen Open till Midnight
Happy Hour Everyday 5p-7p
THURSDAY
Wired 96.5 on the Main Floor
House Music on The Roof
Thursday Birthday - bottle of champagne and cake on the house!
FRIDAY
Hip Hop on the Main Floor
House Music on The Roof
SATURDAY
House Music on the Main Floor
Hip Hop on The Roof
SUNDAY
House Music on the Main Floor
Q102 on The Roof
MONDAY
Latin Night/Free Lessons
On the Main Floor
Mixed Music on The Roof
TUESDAY
Hip Hop on the Main Floor
w/Strength Dance Competition/
Pole Dancing
Oldies Music on The Roof
WEDNESDAY
Continuation of
Center City Sips 5p-7p
Hip Hop on the Roof &
Main Floor
118 S 19th Street
215-496-1020
www.vangolounge.com/skybar.com

b
HAPPY HOUR
MON – FRI 5-7
THURSDAY
HOOKAH
HIP-HOP NIGHT
BRING IN THIS AD FOR A FREE HOOKAH*
10-1
FRIDAY
HIP-HOP & HOUSE
SATURDAY
WORLD MUSIC
VALENTINE'S SPECIAL
FULL COURSE DINNER FOR 2 W/CHAMPAGNE $50
SUNDAY
GREEK / MEDITERRANEAN NIGHT
FREE BELLY DANCING LESSONS
5:30 – 10:30 pm
MONDAY
LAID BACK HOUSE
TUESDAY
OLD SKOOL HIP-HOP
WEDNESDAY
HOUSE MUSIC
1/2 Price Drinks with Student ID
10-1
116 S 18th Street
215.568.3050
www.byblosphilly.com
restrictions apply
BYBLOS





■ **GROUPER** with I((Tace))) 8pm, $13 First Unitarian Church, 2125 Chestnut St 215-563-3980

■ **JAGE EVERETT** 10pm, $3-$15 World Café Live, 3025 Walnut St 215 222-1400

■ **KINGS OF CONVENIENCE** with Franklin For Short 9pm $22 TLA, 334 South St. 215-922-1011

■ **MONO** with Twilight Sad, 8pm $13 First Unitarian Church, 2125 Chestnut St. 215-563-3980

■ **THE ART OF SELF DEFENSE** with Adams Drive & Spitting Seeds, 8pm $7 North Star Bar 2639 Poplar St. 215 634-0808

■ **TIGER'S JAW** with Kite Party, OMAK & Glocca Morra 7pm, $8 Fire 412 W Girard Ave. 267-671 9298

WEDNESDAY 6/2

■ **25 NORTH** with Flux Capacitor, Alabaster Brown & Ryan Wickersham, 8pm $8 North Star Bar, 2639 Poplar St., 215-634-0808.

■ **BLACK BREATH** with Javelina & Hellenlarm 9pm,$10 Kung Fu Necktie 1250 N Front St. 215-291-4919

■ **BLUE RODEO** with Cuff The Duke 8pm $20 Johnny Brenda's 1201 N Frankford Ave 215-739 9684

■ **B-FUNK** with DJ Champe, 9pm, FREE Millcreek Tavern 4260 Chester Ave 215-222-9194

■ **FUTUREHEADS** with The Like, 8pm $13-$14 First Unitarian Church, 2125 Chestnut St. 215-563-3980

■ **JERRY JOSEPH AND WALLY INGRAM**, 8pm, $15 M Room, 15 W Girard Ave 215-739-5577

■ **JESUS OLDER BROTHER** with Papyrus Like You & Galaxies 8pm, $8 Khyber 56 S 2nd St. 215-238-5888

■ **JIM STEPHENS' SOUL SERIES, VOL. 1** with anne Michell Faden, Selena Carrera, Jim Stephens, Jessy Kyle Mayasen Wyldlyfe & Lee Mekish, 8pm, $18-$23 World Café Live, 3025 Walnut St 215-222-1400

■ **LEMURIA** with Amateur Party & The Great Explainer 8pm, $8 Barbary 951 Frankford Ave 215 423-8342

■ **UGLY RADIO REBELLION** Performing music by Frank Zappa 9pm $10 Fire 412 W Girard Ave. 267 671 9298.

THURSDAY 6/3

■ **ATHLETE** with Carney, 8pm, $12, Johnny Brenda s, 1201 N Frankford Ave., 215-739-9684.

■ **BRANDI CARLILE**, 8pm $26-$36, House of Blues 801 Boardwalk Ave., Atlantic City NJ 609-338-2583

■ **DIANE BIRCH** with AM, 8pm $17 50-$19 The Balcony (above Trocadero), 1003 Arch St

■ **GREG ATTONITO** with Kevin Seconds Shanti Wintergate & Kopi Ghoulie 8 30pm, $10 Barbary 951 Frankford Ave 215-423-8342.

■ **KICKIN' BEAR** with Moon Taxi & Lost in the City 8pm $8 North Star Bar 2639 Poplar St. 215-634-0808

■ **MACHINE GUN JOE** with Electric See Power Yukon Body & Glenn s Drift, 9pm, $5, Khyber 56 S. 2nd St. 215-238-5888.

■ **STARS** with Dead Star Child 8pm $20 First Unitarian Church 2125 Chestnut St., 215-563-3980

■ **THE AVIATION ORANGE** with Helhcan & Violetta 8pm $8 M Room 15 W Girard Ave. 215 738-5577

■ **THE PEACE CREEPS** with Hot Head Show & Bells Bells Bells 7pm, $8 Kung Fu Necktie 1250 N Front St. 215 251 4919

✚ PERFORMING ARTS

Please call the phone number listed with the venue for specific dates, times and ticket information

➤ dance

■ **WORKSHOP: KUN-YANG LIN/ DANCERS PRESENT SINGING IN TONGUES** Kun Yang Lin Dancers guide participants through Kirtan chanting and dance preceded by meditation Runs through Jun 25 $10-$20 Kun-Yang Lin Dancers, 1518 S. 9th St. 267-687-3738

➤ theater

■ **816 (FIVE SIXTEEN)** Professional term paper writer Annalee takes up a job from an arrogant grad student named Sigurd who is working on his thesis The two soon become lovers then ex lovers leading to a plot of revenge and desire Runs through Jun 6 $15-$18 Walnut Street Theatre Studio 5 825 Walnut St. 215-574-3550

■ **LEAVING** Penned by playwright and former President of the Czech Republic, "Leaving" is a political tragicomedy that follows a newly retired Chancellor and his quirky family Features David Strathairn. Runs through Jun 20 $22 50-$45, Wilma Theater 265 S Broad St. 215-893-9456

■ **MA RAINEY'S BLACK BOTTOM** Playwright August Wilson tackles racism in the early days of the recording industry Blues Legend Ma Rainey and her band must contend with their white agent and producer's contempt Directed by Irene Lewis Runs through Jun 13 $46-$50 Philadelphia Theatre Co., 480 S Broad St. 215-985 0420

■ **OF MYTHIC PROPORTIONS** Kensington High School Students perform plays they've written about how violence has become integrated into their daily lives Of Mythic Proportions Thu May 27 4 & 6pm FREE, Walking Fish Theatre 2509 Frankford Ave 215-427 2822

■ **RODGERS AND HAMMERSTEIN ARE DEAD** The Philadelphia Jokes Imitative teams up with some of Philly's favorite improv extraordinaires for a daring feat: a live, completely improvised musical. Runs through May 29 $12 $20 Latvian Society of Philadelphia, 531 N 7th St. 215-922 9788

■ **SUNDAY IN THE PARK WITH GEORGE** Sondheim based this Pulitzer Prize winning musical on Georges Seurats painting Sunday Afternoon on the Island of La Grande Jatte Runs through Jul. 4 $38 Arden Theatre 40 N 2nd St 215 922 1122

■ **THE LAST DAYS OF JUDAS ISCARIOT** Fever Dream Repertory imagines the Bible's most notorious sinner caught in a imagined land between Heaven and Hell Runs through May 28 $20-$25 Second Stage at the Adrienne 2030 Sansom St. 215-563-4330

✚ THINK TANK

■ **AMERICA'S ECONOMIC LANDSCAPE IN A POST-RECESSION WORLD WITH LAWRENCE SUMMERS** The Obama adviser will outline his view of America s economic landscape and address the current debate on Congress regarding structural changes and regulatory reform George Priest (of Yale) will respond, and R. Glenn Hubbard (of Columbia) will moderate Thu May 27 6:30pm, FREE, National Constitution Center, 525 Arch St. 215-409-6700

■ **DRINKING LIBERALLY** Get tipsy talk progressive politics Every Tue 6-9pm, FREE, Jose Pistola's, 236 S 15th St

■ **THE SPANISH AMERICAN WAR AND ITS CURRENT SIGNIFICANCE** Evan Thomas of "Newsweek" will discuss his new book, "The War Lovers " and explore why the themes of the Spanish American war resonate today Sean Wilentz, Professor of History at Princeton University will moderate Tue Jun. 1, 8 30pm, FREE National Constitution Center, 525 Arch St. 215-409-6700

■ **VÁCLAV HAVEL: THE ART OF THE IMPOSSIBLE** The first of two symposia inspired by the US premiere of Havel's play "Leaving " A panel of distinguished guest speakers will discuss Havel s life and assess his impact as a playwright and a world leader Sun, May 30 4 30pm $10 Wilma Theater, 265 S Broad St. 215-546-7824.

■ **WHAT IS A CITY?** Focusing on the relationship among the three states that comprise the Delaware Valley Drexel professor Richardson Dilworth considers the relationship between urban centers and their political entities Thu May 27 7pm FREE, Free Library Central Branch 1901 Vine St. 215-686-5414

■ **WYCK HISTORIC HOUSE AND GARDEN'S ANNUAL SPRING LECTURE** Following afternoon tea in Wyck s historic Rose Garden Drew Becher the recently elected president of the Pennsylvania Horticultural Society, will speak about his past work and his vision for Philadelphia. A reception will be held after the lecture Thu Jun 3, 4.30pm, $25-$45 Wyck Historic House & Garden, 6026 Germantown Ave., 215-848 1690

More on citypaper.net
✚ MORE LISTINGS AND EVERY SCROLL!

portion control
By James Saul

WAY TO BE

➤ NORTHWEST PHILADELPHIA'S WEAVERS

Wey Co-op now has three locations to provide shoppers with local, organic, eco-friendly goods. Here are five things you should know about its long-awaited Chestnut Hill location, which opened last week on Germantown Avenue after two years of planning, renovations and anticipation.

1. It's new. The old Caruso's Market et 8424 Germantown Ave. is now a charming store with more breathing room than Weavers' Mount Airy and Oak Lane locations. It's so new that there's still no sign outside. "People were banging down the door," says manager Kim Spelman-Hall, who was heavily involved with the renovation process.

2. It's big. Chestnut Hill is the co-op's largest location to date, at about 4,500 square feet of retail space. An L-shaped entrance area provides access to fresh produce, organic meats and prepared foods. Then, two long aisles with shelves, refrigerators and freezers extend toward the back. For co-op members familiar with smaller quarters in Mount Airy and Oak Lane stores, the difference is noticeable.

3. It's local. People who shop at Weavers Way are into local produce, and this new store has a huge selection. There are already a few varieties of kale and mustard greens grown at the Weavers Way farm at Awbury Arboretum, with strawberries, onions and garlic coming toward the end of spring. If you prefer organic, hydroponic microgreens, Oh Produce (ohproduce.net) products come from Kempton, just west of Allentown.

4. It's green. Sustainably forested lumber is just one of several enviro-friendly tactics in play at Weavers Way Chestnut Hill. There is solar tube lighting and energy-efficient refrigeration, they've installed barrels to collect rainwater, and they compost all kitchen waste. Additionally, a heat recovery tank on the roof turns energy from refrigeration units into hot water to power the hot bar.

5. It's good for a quick bite. The Chestnut Hill store has a full kitchen, offering up a selection of made-to-order sandwiches, soups, salads and a hot bar. Omnivorous types can chow down on Woodhouse Turkey or Parisian Pig (ham with Brie) sandwiches. The Normwich is a viable vegetarian option: grilled tofu and veggies with spicy Thai mayo on a whole wheat roll. Weavers Way will eventually provide a seating area for patrons to enjoy their food. For now, Pastorious Park isn't too far off for a picnic.

(editorial@citypaper.net)

➤ Weavers Way Chestnut Hill: open Mon.–Sat., 7 a.m.–8 p.m. and Sun., 9 a.m.–8 p.m., 8424 Germantown Ave., 215-843-2350, weaversway.coop.



REN FARE: Bret Cavanaugh (left) and Dan Semko brandish a handmade sausage in their mobile meat truck. It's just one of several businesses new to the Philly food-truck game. NEAL SANTOS

dog days

WIENER TAKE ALL

Philly, all of a sudden, is a hotbed of hot dog and sausage activity. By Drew Lazor

Cheesesteaks, hoagies, roast pork. This here's a sandwich town, and no one can dispute that. But what does such crusty-loaved fealty mean for Philly's cabal of wiener servers?

Places like A.P.J. Texas Wieners, Texas Wieners, Frank's A-Lot and Johnny's Hots have been making sweet tubesteak music for decades. Even relative newcomers, like Moe's Hot Dog House, have built up fanatical followings. So why is Philly's frank scene perpetually overshadowed?

More on citypaper.net

"I don't think Philly will ever have the hard-core hot dog culture of places like New Jersey and New England, because most of us grew up with hot dogs being just cheap junk food, rather than a local specialty that's taken seriously," says Hawk Krall, the local illustrator and Drawing for Food blogger who writes about hot dogs for serioussseats.com. "[But] there's still plenty of places to get hot dogs here." Recently, a number of new players have joined the sanitrate-laden ranks.

➤ RENAISSANCE SAUSAGE

"I've always been fascinated with sausage," says Lambertville, N.J., native Bret Cavanaugh, a carpenter who teamed up with longtime friend Dan Samko to roll out this sausage truck on May 2. "As I got older I wanted to figure out how to make it." He has indeed figured it out, if the mob scene at Renaissance's Sunday Headhouse Farmers Market stop is any indication. (They also vend at the Piazza at Schmidts on Saturdays.)

Cavanaugh and Semko started taking the idea of their local/organic sausage-making operation seriously about a year ago. "We get people that are really curious," says Semko. "Like, 'How do you make organic sausage? Does it grow out of the ground?'" Not quite — Albert's Organics and Lancaster Farm Fresh are just a few of the purveyors Renaissance relies on for raw materials. They put in between 30 and 40 hours a week at Philly Kitchen Share stuffing upwards of 400 sausages — free-range chicken, a juicy, herbaceous all-pork link, a vegetarian option — that are later dressed with toppers like tahini-dressed cucumber salad and spicy mango slaw. *renaissancesausage.com, twitter.com/thesausagetruck.*

MORE FOOD AND DRINK COVERAGE AT CITYPAPER.NET/MEALTICKET

➤ THE DAPPER DOG

Late-late-night eats are still an elusive proposition in Philly, so we're fortunate that the Dapper Dog has touched down. Seth Russell and Harry Stormes just started dishing out griddled skinless Nathan's franks splayed out on chewy Sarcone's rolls and dressed with atypical toppings like grilled potatoes, asparagus and fried eggs. Their base of operations is the corner of Second and Poplar, meaning the gleaming cart you see as you're booted out of Standard Tap at last call is not a craft brew-provoked mirage. (They do lunch Wednesday, serve from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.

>>> continued on page 62

GRACE tavern
a lovingly restored neighborhood tavern
great beer, wine & spirits
full menu 11:30am – 2am daily
23rd & South Streets
(2229 Grays Ferry Avenue) 215.893.9580 gracetavern.com

meal ticket
Let the feeding frenzy begin.
Food news, recipes, menu exclusives
citypaper.net/mealticket

City Paper Choice Award Winner
Zagat Rated
MINAR PALACE
Fine Indian Cuisine
NEW WALNUT STREET LOCATION
Monday – Friday 11:30am – 9:00pm
Saturday 12:30pm to 9:00pm
Free delivery available for lunch & dinner ($15 min – limited area)
We accept Visa and Mastercard ($10 minimum)
AOL City Guide Best Samosa and Best Cheap Eats
1304 Walnut Street • 215 546 9443
www.minarphilly.com

www. Kung Fu Necktie .com
Fri. June 11
Robotique Presents:
RICH MEDINA
Wed June 16
JUCIFER
Fri June 18
JOSIAH WOLF (of WHY?)
Sun June 20
CORROSION OF CONFORMITY
Fri. June 25
BASTARD NOISE
Fri June 27
Robotique Presents:
KING BRITT
Sun June 27
D.I. / MCRAD
Thurs July 1
Night Train Presents:
BLOODFEATHERS
Fri June 18
JOSIAH WOLF (of WHY?)
Sat July 24
Robotique Presents:
LINKWOOD
Fri August 13
NIGHT JEWEL
Sat August 14
MAPS & ATLASES

NO LIDS ALLOWED
NEW FAST LUNCH!
GREAT QUALITY – GREAT PRICE- FAST
6 Menu Items all under $6. Monday – Friday 10:00am-2pm
HAPPY HOUR
Mon-Fri 4-6PM
$2 off all drafts
BRUNCH
Sat & Sun At 10AM
2 WHEEL TUESDAYS
Ride Your Motorcycle For Drink Specials!
KARAOKE
Every Sunday 10PM-2AM
QUIZZO
Every Thursday 10-12am
215.627.6711

1601
Every Thursday:
dj jim redz on vinyl. 10pm – close
Every Sunday:
rotating dj night 10pm – close
Murda Monday:
jedi mind tricks presents
dj kwestion. 10pm – close
Kitchen Open Till Midnight:
7 days a week
Best in-the-biz discount in the city: 20% off
1601 South 10th Street
(10th & Tasker)
215-218-3840 . 1601cafe.com

<<< continued from previous page

"Basically, we sat and ate hot dogs for a long time," says Stormes of his research process.

Thursday and from 8 p.m. to 3 a.m. Friday and Saturday.) "Basically, we sat and ate hot dogs for a long time," says Stormes of his and Russell's research process. It's resulted in tasty results like the Coney Island Express, topped with wobbling mounds of rich chili, banana peppers and shredded melted cheddar. *Second and Poplar streets, 203 887 8813, thedapperdog.org, twitter.com/thedapperdog*

STARVIN MARVIN'S SUPER DOGS

Northeast Philly is a pizza-and-cheesesteak part of town. That's why George Mamalis and his family avoided both caloric pillars when developing their two-month-old eatery. "The feedback I've been getting from people is that they are looking for something different," says Mamalis. "If you have a menu for one pizza/cheesesteak place, you have the menu for all of them."

The food at Marvin's is a 180 from all of that. The kid-friendly operation serves Sabrett all-beef franks, hot sausage, kielbasa and turkey dogs. There are upwards of 20 specialty franks, and you're also able to customize your dog with 50-plus fresh toppings. For the daring, there's a "Ginormous Super Dog," a footlong situation thrice the width of your average wiener. *6571 Roosevelt Blvd., 267-344 8361, starvinmarvinsuperdogs.com.*

NICKY AND PETE'S FAMOUS DOGS

Nicky Umile's family ran a pizzeria out of their 64th Street storefront for a quarter-century before they decided to hang it up and rent out the space to an outside operator. When that business tanked, the Overbrook native hired his recently laid-off brother Pete to launch this out-of-the-way gem. The Umiles split and griddle Dietz & Watson's franks and serve them up on round club rolls in more than a dozen different ways, from a "West Philly Special" smothered with Whiz, onions and a secret family-recipe sauce, to the classic/esoteric Philly "surf and turf," a fried fish cake and a wiener on the same bun. He and his brother serve a big menu beyond dogs, too, one that includes trips, cheesesteaks, hoagies, soft-shell crab and chicken cutlets. *349 N. 64th St., 267-292-5414*

WUNDER DOG

Slated to open around Labor Day, Wunder Dog is former District Attorney candidate Michael Untermeyer's foray into the forcemeat fray. The restaurant, in a South Street space Untermeyer owns, should offer a tight selection of atypical dogs (specifics are up in the air), plus sandwiches (barbecue beef brisket, boneless pork chop).

"Unlike running for DA, which had a definitive beginning and end, I can create my success without being dependent on hundreds of thousands of voters to support me," explains Untermeyer, who was thoroughly impressed by operations like Chicago's Hot Doug's on a recent wiener research expedition.

Untermeyer adds that he's looking forward to experiencing "people actually happy with you" — a privilege he jokes he doesn't come across very often as a lawyer. *1735 South St.*

(drew.lazer@citypaper.net)

SUMMER SHRIMP FESTIVAL!

Cafe Nola

ONE NIBBLE & YOU'RE HOOKED!

OUTDOOR DINING • SUNDAY BRUNCH • PRIVATE PARTIES • BANQUETS • LATE DINING NIGHTLY

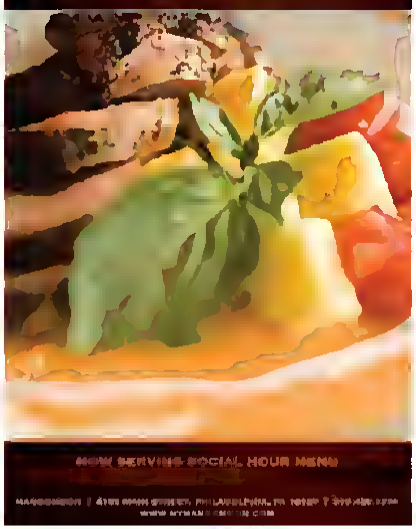
(215) 574-1687 • 414 SOUTH SECOND ST.

MANGOMOON

Relax, eat, drink & explore.

IT'S THAILAND WITHOUT A MAP JUST A MENU!

GIFT CERTIFICATES NOW AVAILABLE



NOW SERVING SOCIAL HOUR MENU

Enjoying Philly's Best Burgers



For 1/2 Price at Wednesday Lunch

$3.49

Sitting Outside in Copa's Sidwalk Cafe on a Spring Day..

PRICELESS!

COPABANANA

Near the MOVIES at 40th & Spruce

The Adobe Café

SOUTHWESTERN BAR AND GRILLE AND SANTA FE STEAKHOUSE

ALL DAY MEMORIAL DAY DRINK AND FOOD SPECIALS

$1 CUERVO SHOTS WITH ANY BEER

$10 OFF ANY $50 PURCHASE

FULL VEGETARIAN AND VEGAN MENU

WE DELIVER!

ADOBECAFEPHILLY.COM

Open 7 days M-Wed 4pm-10pm Thu 11:30am-10pm F-Sat 11:30am-11pm Sun 11:30am-9:30pm

1919 E. Passayunk Ave. 215 551 2243

4550 Mitchell St. 215-483-3947

SANGKEE

SUMMER SPECIAL

$10 coupon

(down load from our website)

With this ad upgrade to $20 coupon with $40 purchase

(expires June 30, 2010)

go to

www.sangkeenoodlehouse.com



Crispy Soft Shell Crab in Five Spice Dressing

GRAND OPENING!

South Beach

Upstairs at Copa

ROCK VIDEOS

MOJITO THURSDAYS

MARGARITAS 1/2 PRICE MONDAY NIGHTS



COPABANANA

On the Boardwalk at 4th & South

Cedars
MIDDLE EASTERN & LEBANESE CUISINE
Mediterranean Cuisine . Open 7 days a week
Hummus, Kibeh, Kabob,
Grape Leaves, Falafel, and Seafood specialty
616 S. 2nd Street
215 925 4950
www.cedarsrestaurant.com

cucina FORTE
ITALIAN GLOBAL CUISINE
768 S. 8th Street, Philadelphia • 215-238-0778
WE WILL SOON BE OPENING FOR LUNCH
(IN SEARCH OF EXPERIENCED COOK)

Zocalo
AUTHENTIC MEXICAN CUISINE
(215) 895-0139
3600 LANCASTER AVE
PHILADELPHIA PA 19104
UNIVERSITY CITY
(ONE BLOCK NORTH OF MARKET ST.)
HAPPY HOUR
EVERYDAY 4:30 TO 7:30
Bar & Patio Grill
ZOCALOPHILLY.COM

LUNCH SPECIAL
2 ROLLS $8.50, 3 ROLLS $11.50
HAPPY HOUR
Monday-Friday 4:30-7pm
$3 Beer, $5 Wine, Sake & cocktails
plus ½ price appetizers
ALL YOU CAN EAT SUSHI SPECIAL 7 Days A Week
OKI
JAPANESE RESTAURANT
1210 Walnut Street
Mon-Thu: 11:30am – 10:30pm
Fri- Sat: 11:30am – 12am
Sunday: 12noon – 10:30pm
We Deliver . Visit us at Akiphilly.com
215.985.1038

the Coffee Bar
[illegible]

the Witch
AMERICAN BISTRO
Serving Center City Food
at Neighborhood Prices
$20 Tuesdays
4 course prix fixe dinner
Sunday Brunch
with make your own bloody mary bar
OPEN: Tues.-Thurs. 5pm-10pm
Fri. & Sat. 5pm-1am • Sun. 11am-3pm
Available for private parties & catering
1401 E. Moyamensing Ave.
(3rd & Reed Streets)
215-462-1200
www.thewitchbistro.com

feedingfrenzy
By Drew Lazor



➤ **NOW SEATING**

Momiji | New sushi near South Street Teeny Momiji, open for less than a month in what was Niji, offers a large selection of sushi, sashimi and hot entrées (teriyaki, tempura). Specialty rolls here include the "Hulk Roll" — soft-shell crab, spicy tuna and salmon, and avocado, topped with wasabi mayo and wrapped in green seaweed — and the Tri-Color Roll, with crunchy spicy salmon and cucumber topped with tuna and roe. They offer daily lunch specials for $8 to $9. Hours: Mon.-Thu., 11:30 a.m.-10 p.m., Fri., 11:30 a.m.-11 p.m., Sat., 12:30 p.m.-11 p.m., Sun., 12:30 p.m.-10 p.m. *522 S. Fifth St., 215-574-1557*

West Side Gravy | Award-winning Alex Capasso of Blackbird Dining Establishment has shifted downscale a bit with this casual 95-seat Collingswood BYOB, currently open for lunch only (dinner coming shortly). But that doesn't mean the chef is cutting corners — Capasso's comfort-food-style menu features takes on classics using quality local ingredients. Eats include a signature mac 'n' cheese (baby shell pasta with cheddar, Gruyère, fontina and fresh herbs), a bacon-wrapped meatloaf sandwich with sharp provolone and Pinot Noir sauce, and buttermilk-battered free-range fried chicken with potato salad and cole slaw. *714 Haddon Ave., Collingswood, N.J., 856-858-7153*

➤ **LITTLE VITTLES**

Tim McGinnis, one half of cheffing duo **Spinal Tapas**, has been named culinary director for **Philly Kitchen Share** (1514 South St.). He is in the early stages of setting up a catering arm for the co-op kitchen as well as developing a restaurant directly next to it. ➤ **Edward Bianchini's Tweed** (114 S. 12th St.) opens to the public June 10. ➤ **Le Cochon Noir** (5070 Parkside Ave.), the ambitious barbecue restaurant and live blues/jazz venue from owner **Jamal Parker**, soft-opens Friday, June 4. ➤ The third Philly location of **Brown Betty Dessert Boutique** opens in the **Shops at Liberty Place** (1625 Chestnut St.) on June 7.

Got A Tip? *Please send restaurant news to drew.lazor@citypaper.net or call 215-735-8444, ext. 218.*


The Original Owners are Back!
Siblings ilker and Fulya
"Very Good"
says food critic Craig Laban
WE DELIVER
CASH ONLY
FOLLOW US ON TWITTER
DivanTurkish and Cafefulya
FULL BAR
divan
turkish kitchen
918 South 22nd Street (corner of Carpenter & 22nd Street)
Philadelphia, PA 19146 - 215.545.5790 – 215.545.5792
We Deliver river to river Manton Street to Spring Garden
VISIT DIVANTURKISHKITCHEN.COM FOR FURTHER DETAILS
Doner Kebab $11.50 – ish
Adana Kebab $14.75 Cash
SHOCKING
$3.75 DRINK SPECIAL
(Martinis, Cocktails, Glass of Wine and Beer for just $3.75)
CASH ONLY
Live jazz music on Wednesdays,
Thursdays & Sundays 6–8 p.m.
Chicken Shish Kebab $11.25 Cash
Turkish Falafel $10.50 Cash
Café Fulya . "BEST OMELETTES" All Day Breakfast. VOTED ONE OF PHILLY'S TOP TEN BRUNCH PLACES!
2 Course Lunch Special $8.50 – Best Baklava In Town Made Fresh Daily
95% Vegetarian Dishes – Homemade Turkish Pastries
727 S. 2nd STREET PHILADELPHIA, PA 19147 267.909.9937 CAFEFULYA.COM. twitter@cafefulya.com

LONDON GRILL

2301 FAIRMOUNT AVE PHILADELPHIA
215.978.4545 LONDONGRILL.COM

The Owners of Effie's and Pine Street Pizza Introduce
CONTEMPORARY AMERICAN CUISINE
Paul BYOB
Now Open for Sunday Brunch
10:30am - 3pm
Make Your Reservations Now
Every Tuesday & Sunday is Neighborhood Appreciation Day 3 Courses for $25
Tues - Thurs: 5 - 10pm Fri & Sat: 5 - 11pm Sun: 5 - 9pm Closed Mondays
1120 Pine Street • 215-238-9210

LovasH Indian Cuisine
236-238, South Street, Philadelphia, PA., 19147
www.LOVASHINDIANCUISINE.com
Dine In-Take Out BYOB
P 215.925.3081 F 215.925.3082

SITAR INDIA
North & South Indian Cuisine
Clay Oven Cooking
7 DAY LUNCH & DINNER BUFFET
• DISCOUNT FOR COLLEGE STUDENTS •
• WE DO CATERING FOR ALL OCCASIONS •
• COMPETITIVELY PRICED • LUNCH $8.95
• DINNER BUFFET $11.95 •
60 S. 36TH ST. BETWEEN CHESTNUT & MARKET STS. PHONE & FAX: 215-662-0610
FREE DELIVERY No coupons or promotions
With this coupon 10% OFF (Not valid with any other discount) EXPIRATION DATE: 6/30/10
NOW SERVING BEER

DOWNEYS
DRINKING HOUSE DINING SALOON
LUNCH SPECIAL
MONDAY - FRIDAY 11AM - 4PM
$6.95
SOUP OR SALAD
SANDWICH OR PASTA
AND BEVERAGE
Corner of Front & South St
215-625 9500
www.downeysrestaurant.com

AUBURN ROAD
Vineyard, Winery & Enoteca
Gathering place of philosophers, artists & dreamers since 2004.
AUBURN ROAD is a quick and easy escape to the country from the suburbs and the city.
www.auburnroadvineyards.com

WHAT'S COOKING



Gusti d'Italie with Chef Jean-Marie Lacroix *Thu., June 3, 6:30-9:30 p.m., $99* Join world-renowned chef Jean-Marie Lacroix (pictured) at the Constitution Center for a cooking demo and small plate tasting of Italian cuisine. The event, organized in conjunction with the "Ancient Rome & America" exhibition, will feature dishes such as potato gnocchi with prosciutto, artichokes and favas, and braised lamb shank stew with cannellini beans and fennel. Reservations required. *National Constitution Center, 525 Arch St., 215-409-6700, constitutioncenter.org*

Meet Your Local Cheesemaker at Fair Food Farmstand *Fri., May 28, 4-6 p.m., free* Meet your maker — cheesemaker, that is — at this monthly sampling of artisanal cheeses and local brews. Debbie and Fred Mikulak of Amazing Acres will be at the Fair Food Farmstand this Friday with a selection of goat cheeses from their ChesCo farmstead. Philadelphia Brewing Co.'s Dean Browne will pair and share the suds. *Fair Food Farmstand, Reading Terminal Market, 12th and Arch streets, 215-922-2317, readingterminalmarket.org*

Wyck Farmers Market *Every Friday beginning May 28, 2-6 p.m.* Wyck Farmers Market makes its seasonal debut Friday, featuring eggs and chemical-free produce grown at the sustainable Wyck Home Farm. Opening offerings will include strawberries, lettuces and green garlic. *6026 Germantown Ave., 215-848-1690, wyck.org*

Center City District Sips *Every Wednesday beginning June 2, 5-7 p.m., pay as you go* This weekly 'hood wide happy hour begins on Wednesday and runs through Aug. 25. Enjoy $4 cocktails, $3 wine and $2 beer at participating venues, which'll also serve half-price appetizers, and some establishments will offer a 15 percent dinner discount after 7 p.m. *Various locations, centercityphila.org*

Hava NaGrilla *Sun., June 6, 10 a.m.-3 p.m., $5 (individual), $20 (family)* Watch as cooks compete in ribs, brisket and beans categories at the Golden Slipper Club and Charities' second annual kosher barbecue contest. There'll be contests, performances, kids' activities — and plenty to nosh on. *Willow Grove Day Camp, 3400 Davisville Road, Hatboro, 610-660-0510, havanagrilla.com.*

—Hadley Assail


PHILLY BEER WEEK 2010
JUNE 4-13
MORIARTY'S
RESTAURANT & IRISH BAR
WWW.MORIARTYSPUB.COM
28 Draughts on First Floor
Outside Seating
BEER WEEK EVENTS
JUNE 7TH 6-8PM
SPATEN
GLASSWARE GIVEAWAY
JUNE 8TH 6-8PM
CHIMAY W/BOBO 6-8PM
GLASSWARE GIVEAWAY
JUNE 9TH 6-8PM
SIERRA NEVADA'S 30TH ANNIVERSARY
JUNE 10TH 8-10PM
SAM ADAMS (HEFE-HOUR)
JUNE 11TH 8-10PM
DOGFISH HEAD
JUNE 12TH 8-10PM
STELLA, HOEGAARDEN, BASS
GLASSWARE GIVEAWAY

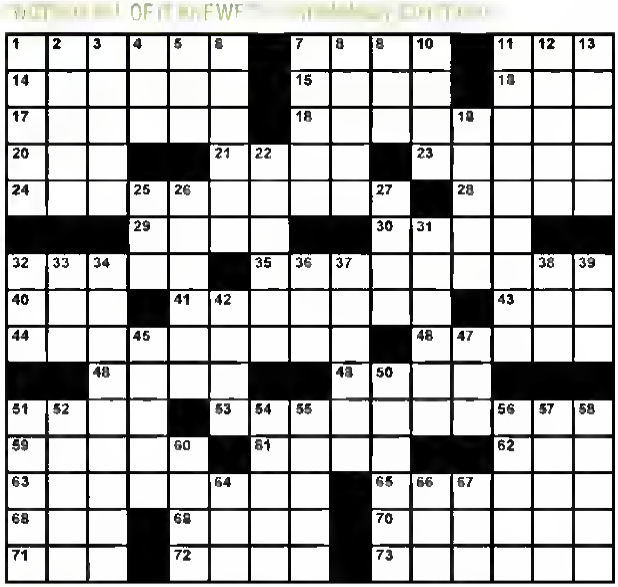

SUNDAY SUPPER
3 COURSES $22 PER PERSON
FRIED CHICKEN NIGHT
3 COURSES $19 PER PERSON
DAILY SPECIALS
MONOAY – $1 OFF ORAFTS
TUESDAY – ½ PRICE GLASSES OF WINE
WEONESOAY – $2 OFF SPECIALTY COCTAILS
THURSDAY – $1 OFF BOTTLED BEERS
FRIOAY- MANAGER'S CHOICE
SATURDAY- $10 DFF ALL WINE BOTTLES
SUNOAY- BEER BATTLE!
LATE NIGHT INDUSTRY DISCOUNT! 15% off after 10pm!
THIS WEEK'S BEERS
BELL'S TWO HEARTED ALE VS. DOGFISH 90 MINUTE IPA
WHICHEVER BEER SELLS THE MOST WILL BE THE BEER SPECIAL ALL WEEK.
THE WISHING WELL
A GREAT RESTAURANT TRAPPED IN A BAR
9th & CATHARINE STREETS
(215) 238-6555 . Find out more at www.wishingwellphilly.com


Gaetano's
Italian Deli
267•761•9372
901 S. 2nd ST (SE CORNER 2ND & CHRISTAIN ST.)

jonesin'

By Matt Jones



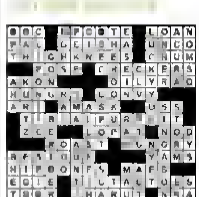


ACROSS

1 Country singer Parsley on a military boot?
7 *7th Heaven* actress Jessica
11 Vampire's other form
14 Journalist/blogger Daniel
15 '70s song whose dance forms letters
16 Prefix with center or lady?
17 Where "two guys" are often located, joke-wise
19 Overseas greeting?
20 Holder and Reno, for short
21 Mishmash
23 ___ voce
24 The value of 30 Egyptian sun god's bales?
28 "___ a stiffed sheet I sat"
29 Comedian Lampanelli
30 Site of 1993 accords
32 Open a thigh-high boot, maybe
35 Bone-like resin, annoyed in a plastic cone-shaped red ball?
40 "Get my drift?"
41 Like store-purchased debit cards
43 ___ Mex cuisine
44 Mickey Mouse's unsuccessful cousin?
46 Deplorable
48 Departs
49 "Am ___ yesterday's news?" ("You'll Never Know," Edwyn Collins)
51 Vizquel of baseball
53 Part of a boat named after radio man Paul?
59 It'll come back to you
61 ___ horrible death
62 Gun it!
63 It answers the question "Do you know how fast you were going?"
65 Fix a paragraph
66 Pass with flying colors
68 Spite, outrank them
70 Wet kiss
71 Kind of kid
72 Enmity
73 Reply to "Were any people left after Dick and Harry departed?"

DOWN

1 Type of tobacco pipe
2 ___ bell (was familiar)
3 "Just ___ " (inexact recipe instruction)
4 Figure on a driver's license, abbr.
5 "Don't do drugs" ad, for short
6 Loss on purpose
7 On a plane
8 Complaint during summer months
9 *The Name of the Rose* author
10 Potato chip brand
11 Allen Ginsberg and Jack Kerouac, for two
12 Inclined toward
13 Attach, like a ribbon
19 Sugar from fan bob
22 Construction vehicle with a scooper
25 Boxer Laila
26 Abbie Hoffman party member
27 Hagar the Horrible's daughter
31 Capital with an opera house
32 Acronym for computer ports
33 Prefix for liberal or conservative
34 Calming pastime with a rake
36 Shrinks' org.
37 Home-grown
39 Hamster doc
39 Claimant competitor
42 Hebrew letter
45 ___ Rae (Sally Field movie)
47 Torah holder
50 Newspaper publisher William Randolph ___
51 Gumbo pods
52 Auto body company with old ah-oh" ads
54 What "X" may mean
55 Laundry cycle
56 Provide a fund for
57 Author Jong
58 Thin wood strips
59 Gateway ___
64 Horror roll stat
66 Panic! at the Disco genre
67 The 31st, often abbr.



+ ©2010 Jonesin' Crosswords (jonesincrosswords.com) For answers to this puzzle, call 1-900-226-2660. $0.95 per minute. Must be 18+ or have parental consent. Touch-tone phone required. Reference puzzle #0304

WITHOUT OF IT NEWS [illegible] CRITICS

the classifieds

CALL 215-735-8444 FOR ADVERTISING INFORMATION
PLACE YOUR FREE ONLINE CLASSIFIED AD AT CITYPAPER.NET/CLASSIFIEDS

CLASSIFIEDS DEADLINES Billboard Friday 6 PM | **Adult** Friday 12 PM
All Other Classified Categories Monday 4 PM

POLICIES *It is the responsibility of the Advertiser to check his or her ad the first time it runs. This newspaper can assume no responsibility for errors beyond the first printing of the incorrect ad. City Paper will not be responsible for failure to insert an advertisement. City Paper reserves the right to edit advertising copy, graphics and photos.*

market place

Adoptions

ADOPTION
Are you Pregnant? Consider ing adoption? A childless couple seeks to adopt. Financial security, loving home. Expenses Paid. Barbara & Jacqueline. 1 800 861 5604.

ADOPTION
Adoption Happily Married Well-educated, financially Secure Couple Desire to Adopt Newborn. Lots of Love and Affection. Expenses Paid. Paula & Greg 1-877-836-4060

PREGNANT? CONSIDER-ING ADOPTION?
Talk with caring agency specializing in matching Birthmothers with Families nationwide. LIVING EXPENSES PAID. Call 24/7 Abby & One True Gift Adoptions 855-413 6283

Public Notices

ADOPTION
ADOPT The stork didn't call. We hope you will. Happily married educated loving couple wishes to adopt newborn. Expenses paid. Robin & Neil 1 866 303 0668 www rebi neilneil info

NOTICE/ANNOUNCE-MENTS
Pennsylvania s Largest Lost and Found. Last year the Pennsylvania Treasury returned over $100 Million Dollars of unclaimed property. Search www patreasury org or call 1 800-222-2046 to see if we have money for you. Each year Treasury receives millions of dollars in unclaimed property, things like "clean" donee bank accounts "forgotten stocks "uncashed checks "certificates of deposit "life insurance policies " safe deposit box contents "recovered stolen property. At Treasury we work hard to find you you can find your property if you see your name visit www patreasury org to make a claim. We are only required to publish the names of owners of property worth more than $250 and time to even if you don't see your name here this year you may have something it's worth a search at our website. Visit us NOW and claim what's YOURS!

Business Services

FACING FORECLOSURE?
Real Help. Real Answers. Foreclosure and Short Sale Expert - Robert Parcone (215)885-8061. Philadelphia Realty Exchange (215)545 6111. EOH REALTOR http // www PhillyShortSale411 com

FUN BOOKS FOR PRE-PRIMARY
Shop online for variety of Books with innovative methods aimed at helping young Children to enhance their reading, writing & communication skills published by WordSmith Publications. These Books are blend of learning & Fun & support for teaching & parenting (sarkar00ss415)

MATERIAL HANDLING EQUIPMENTS
Best Material Handling Equipment Tenyent Heavy machinery best in the market. Manufacturers of Material handling Equipments C440 1t Stage 1st cross Peenya Industrial area, Peenya Bangalore

PLASTIC PROCESSING MACHINER
Best Plastic Processing Machinery Kalimatapla. High End Manufacturer & Exporter of plastic processing Machinery & spares. A,S 3rd Stage Peenya Industrial Estate Bangalore Tel 080 28361456

RATNADEEP (WHOLE SALE DEALE
we are selling all type of jain dharmik updesan in whole sale (sarkar00ss354) mr.kantilal +91 9426283564

Lessons & Workshops

EARN $75-$200 HOUR
Media Makeup Artist Training Ads. TV, Film, Fashion. One week class. Stable job in weak economy. Details at http // www.AwardMakeUpSchool com 310 364-0865

Business Opportunity

EARN MONEY ON LINE
Legit income opportunity. Get paid to complete offers and make referrals. No catch, just cash. Easy money! I got paid two days after I joined. Free to sign up. Make money now. No obligation, just log on and sign up with a valid e mail address. www paydaysignup com

HOME JOBS TO EARN DAILY
Online part time jobs for all to earn income daily at convenient time. Simple jobs, make cash without investment. No experience needed, get the payment through cash cheque. For details visit http://online-homejobs2all blogspot com

NUMANITARIAN HOME BUSINESS
Most Unique Home Business On The Planet. Change Your Life. Change The World. Feel GREAT about what you do. Visit www GiveHopeAndPossibilities com for more information. Peace n ha Love

Investments/ Financial Planning

FINANCIAL
CASH NOW! Get cash for your structured settlement or annuity payments. High payouts. Call J G Wentworth 1 866-SETTLEMENT (1-866-738 8536). Rate A+ by the Better Business Bureau.

Home Services

CLEANING & STAGING SERVICES
Shoe Shine Interiors Cleaning, Errands, Organization & Staging Estimates FREE 484-716-6571 www.coinservices com

DAYCARE 2214 GIRARD AVE
SMALL DAYCARE NOW ENROLLING AT 2914 GIRARD AVE PHILADELPHIA. WE OFFER QUALITY DAYCARE SERVICES. ALL MEALS INCLUDED. CCIS WELCOMED. LEARNING LESSIONS. READING. ORGANIZED TEACHING. ETC. GIVE US A CALL 267 909 8740 OR EMAIL US AT daycare2514@gmail com. CPR CERTIFIED. FIRST AID ON SITE. EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION. 267 909-8740 OR daycare2514@gmail com SEE YOU SOON

GKS DRYWALL LLC
We provide quality custom drywall work. New Construction/Renovation. Large & Small Jobs Welcome! Call Dahlia or Karl at (856)783 5017 - Free Estimates

EXPERIENCED HOUSE CLEANER
14 years experience. Recession friendly rates. Environmentally conscious. References available. call (267) 386-5251 or email at vlenor@comcast.net

TILE — TILE — TILE
We install Tile flooring. You purchase the material to one of the super stores, and we will install the tile for the (labor cost) $2.85 sq ft. — Call 215 779 5005

Garage Sales

MOVING SALE SATURDAY MAY 29
Moving Sale-great stuff-low prices! Exercise equipment, DVDs, software, appliances, Eastern clothes, Vintage sewing patterns, natural fabrics, books and cookbooks. May 29 12-7 pm 2201 Pennsylvania Ave #102 19130 in Philly 267 595-3082

For Sale

FIRST NOTION > GR. SEUSS
" On Beyond Zebra " [1955] This copy is in better shape than the one on sale for $999.95 at the Heritage Book Shop in Los Angeles CA $350.00 or best offer call > (717) 766-1332

MATERIAL HANDLING NQUIPMENT
Best Material Handling Equipment Tenyent Heavy machinery best in the market. Manufacturers of Material handling Equipments C440 1t Stage 1st cross Peenya Industrial area, Peenya Bangalore

PERFUMES $ PURSES
Offering prices below market and FREE shipping within US www.blujay.com/julio71

Pets

TWIN MARMOST MONKEYS FOR
We are relocating to new apartment that will not be able to accommodate the babies. If you are a monkey lover and know you can provide a loving and caring home for the babies feel free to contact us for more details

MAMBO MOVERS
GENTLY MOVING YOUR EARTHLY POSSESSIONS
215.670.9535
www.mambomovers.com

jobs

Help Wanted

AIRLINES ARE HIRING: Train for high paying Aviation Maintenance Career. FAA approved program. Financial aid if qualified. Housing available. CALL Aviation Institute of Maintenance (888) 834-9715

$$$ HELP WANTED $$$ Extra Income! Assembling CD cases from Home! No Experience Necessary! Call our Live Operators Now! 1-800-405-7619 Ext. 2450 http://www.easywork-greatpay.com

HELP WANTED DRIVER CDL A Drivers: Our Freight Needs You! Over the Road Flatbed & Dry Van Professional Equipment. High Miles. Good Driving Record Required. We accept your long form and medical card. Western Express. Call Nancy 866-801-5295.

HELP WANTED DRIVER Flatbed, Reefer and Tanker Drivers Needed! New Hiring students and CDL Training Available! Incredible Freight Network! All levels of experience welcome to apply. 1-800-277-0212 www.primeinc.com

HELP WANTED DRIVER CDL A DRIVERS - 6 Months recent experience required. Terminals in York and Somerset, PA. Earn upto $1000 per week or more with great benefits. #00-609-0033. Apply online at www.jangantowman.com

HELP WANTED DRIVER Driver COMPANY Experienced OTR drivers and Teams. Consistent Miles. Excellent Health Benefits $ mo OTR exp & current CDL 888-463-3962 www.nsetruckjobs.EOE M/F/H/V

HELP WANTED DRIVER REGIONAL DRIVERS NEEDED! MORE HOME TIME! TOP PAY! Up to $.43/mile company driver! 12 months OTR required. HEARTLAND EXPRESS 1-800-441-4953 www.heartlandexpress.com.

MODELS NEEDED Looking for creative, earthy and unique female nude figure models for outdoor work. Prefer experience. Call 484-716-9504

real estate

Homes for Sale

EVERYHOMES.COM

NOMEE FOR 9 ALS ACTIVE ADULT COMMUNITY(55 plus) in Beautiful Historic Smyrna, Delaware. New Single Home Development near beaches & bayomes. Purchase prices from $99,900. CALL 302-659-5800

Visit www.tonayrehomes.com

INVESTORS WELCOME Low priced opportunity for investor to buy ready to rent property minimal work needed and fairly priced at $29,900. Call Tom 267-679-1392 American Real Estate & Insurance 215-379-3939

Land/ Lots for Sale

LAND FOR SALE 5 ACRES w/CAMP $19,995!* I Can't Believe it!* Something must be wrong with it!* See for yourself! It's the best investment in land ever. NYS! Christmas & Associates. Call us at 800 229 7843 or visit www.LandandCamps.com. Find us on Facebook!

Mountain Property for Sale

MOUNTAIN PROPERTY MTN. LAND BARGAIN LOG HUNTING CABIN 25 AC. $67 1/2 S. Abundant deer & turkey. Paved dirt frontage. Electric & phone. Ride & trade. Financing available. Owner will finance. Call owner 1-877-526-3764 x122 mountaintimberland.com

rentals

Apartments for Rent

APARTMENT- 2 BEDROOM Looking for students. 2 Bedroom Apartment. 3rd Floor rent $1000.00. Included: Dishwasher, Refrigerator, Washer, Dryer, Stove, Oven, Central Air. Located at 1844 W Master St Phone: (516)650-8014

APT FOR RENT IN EL COUNTY 1 st fl duplex 2bdrapt available for rent. Aldan, PA. Delaware County. Close to public transportation. Central air/heat, carpeted apt in kitchen with washer and refridgerator included. Askin $900/month + utilities. Call 2155209454 to schedule an appointment to view

ART MUSEUM Sunny 4 rooms, yard, basement, central air, hardwood floors. $700's LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

ART MUSEUM Sunny 4 rooms, yard, basement, central air, hardwood floors. $700's LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

CEDAR PARK 2 bedroom house apartment 1st floor, no credit check! pets ok, yard. $650. LOCATORS 215-922-3400

CENTER CITY 3 Bedroom (1 large 2 small) 2 bath completely remodeled 2006! Approx 1300 Sq Ft. Lots of storage. All appliances including separate Laundry room. Pets Negotiable. $1485 + Utilities. Security & Credit Ck required. $25 fee per applicant

CENTER CITY No credit check! renovated house apartment, big kitchen. $900. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

COBBS CREEK 2+ bedroom duplex! Fenced yard, finished basement, patio. $600. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

NORTHERN LIBERTIES - 1 BDRM Renovated in 2006! 1 bedroom, 1 bath apartment for rent. Washer/Dryer access, hardwood floors and off street parking. Small pets ok. $920/mo. Available 7/1. Call Jason at 215-327-2217

NORTHERN LIBERTIES - 1BDRM Renovated in 2006, sunny 1 bedroom, 1 bath apartment for rent. Hardwood floors throughout, washer/dryer access and AC units. Small pets ok. $800/mo. Available 7/1. Call Jason at 215-327-2217

OLDE CITY Unique apartment! Loft! Hardwood floors, washer/dryer, pets ok. $900's. LOCATORS 215-922-3400

OLDE CITY Unique apartment! Loft! Hardwood floors, washer/dryer, pets ok. $900's. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

SOUTH PHILADELPHIA 2 bedroom duplex! Bring pets! No credit check! $500's. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

UNIVERSITY CITY Spectacular 3 bedrooms/2 bath apartment, hardwood floors, tile kitchen, dishwasher in unit, free use washer/dryer, dishwasher, spacious, just beautiful! Avail. 8/30. $1100+ (includes cold water). call 910-858-0103

Studio/ Efficiency

ROOM OR EFFICIENCY NEEDED Seeking room or efficiency to rent convenient to public transportation to center city.

TEMPLE UNIVERSITY HOSP. VCT Newly Renovated Studio Apartment. 1 bedroom, kitchen & bath. Located a block from N. Broad Street and Temple University's new Medical School and only minutes from the main campus. Near shopping, schools, library, supermarket, restaurants and transportation to all parts of the city and suburbs. $600 + Utilities. 215-227-6378 / 267-982-8902

One Bedroom

19TH/SPRUCE Beautiful Art Deco High rise. 1Bdrm Apt. Desk Attendant, HW Fire. Updated Kitch. On-site Laundry. Intercom Entry. Amazing Location! From $1080/Mo. 877-856-2947 Lic#219795

15TH/SPRUCE Spacious Bright 1Bdrm In Brownstone. Beautiful Moldings/Details. Decorative Fireplaces. Breakfast Bar. HW Flrs. 19 Ft Ceilings. Laundry. $1050/Mo. Avail Aug. 215-735-9030 #220402

GERMANTOWN 1 bedroom duplex apartment, covered patio, 1st floor, pets. $500's. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

GERMANTOWN 1 bedroom duplex apartment, covered patio, 1st floor, pets. $500's. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

LARGE BEDROOM FOR RENT Large front bedroom available immediately. Freshly painted cable/phone ready and all utilities included. No pets. $115/wk. Please call 215-495-9527

SOCIETY HILL/ 3XX DELANCEY 1BR Fireplace Garden all appliances. Cathedral ceiling. W/D $1500/mo includes water/sewer. Call 215-950-8751

SOUTH PHILADELPHIA 2 bedroom duplex apartment, bring pets! No credit check. $500's. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

TEMPLE UNIVERSITY No credit check! 1 bedroom apartment, large kitchen, utilities paid. $500's. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

TEMPLE UNIVERSITY No credit check! 1 bedroom apartment, large kitchen, utilities paid. $500's. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

Two Bedrooms

2 BEDROOMS FOR RENT 2 rooms available for rent in West Philadelphia. Cleaned & freshly painted cable/phone ready and utilities included. No pets. $105/wk each room. Please call 215-495-9527

BELLA VISA No credit check! 2 bedroom private entrance! No security deposit! $900. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

BELLA VINTA No credit check! 2 bedroom private entrance! No security deposit! $900. LOCATORS 215-922-3400

BREWERYTOWN Renovated 2 bedroom near park! Hardwood floors, pets. $900's. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

BURHOLME 1st floor 2 bedroom apartment, no credit check! garage available! $900's. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

BURHOLME 1st floor 2 bedroom apartment, no credit check! Garage available! $900's. LOCATORS 215-922-3400

CARROLL PARK Renovated 2 bedroom apartment, fee paid! Dining room, utilities paid! $900. LOCATORS 215-922-3400

CARROLL PARK Renovated 2 bedroom apartment, fee paid! Dining room, utilities paid! $900. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

CASTER GARDENS 2 bedroom apartment, air, basement, parking, fee paid. $900's. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

CASTER HARDENS 2 bedroom apartment, air, basement, parking, fee paid. $900's. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

CHESTNUT HILL VCT 2 bedroom duplex apartment, patio, yard, large kitchen. $650. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

CHESTNUT HILL VCT 2 bedroom duplex apartment, patio, yard, large kitchen. $650. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

EAST GERMANTOWN No credit check! 2 bedroom, near park, washer/dryer, pets ok! $650. LOCATORS 215-922-3400

PORT RICHMOND VCT 2 story, 2 bedroom, patio, basement, large kitchen. $625. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

PORT RICHMOND VCT 2 story, 2 bedroom, patio, basement, large kitchen. $625. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

SOUTH PHILADELPHIA 2 bedroom renovated apartment! Near trains, large kitchen. $550. LOCATORS 215-922-3400

SOUTH PHILADELPHIA— EAST PASSYUNK SQUARE SOUTH PHILADELPHIA—EAST PASSYUNK SQUARE (Passyunk and Tasker). Close to fountain. 2 bedroom, washer/dryer, newly renovated. $900. Call Dom at 215-850-5350

Three+ Bedrooms

AVENUE OF THE ARTS PENTHOUSE. Avail! One of a kind spacious 3+ level penthouse in historic Art Deco High-Rise. 3bdrms/ 3 Full Baths/ 2 half baths. 4 Lrg Terraces w/ Amazing City Views. Entertainment Rm w/ Wet Bar. New Kitch w/ Granite Counters. W/D. CA. Vaulted Ceilings. HW Flrs. Avail Sept. $4300/Mo. 877-856-2947. Lic #219795

BELLA VISTA Modern 3 bedroom, 2 story great location. Yard, basement. $950. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

BREWERYTOWN 3 bedroom, 2 story house, new kitchen & bath! Security system! $700. LOCATORS 215-922-3400

BREWERYTOWN Single 3 bedroom house, all new! Outside next! $900. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

CARROLL PARK Bring pets! 3 bedroom house, fee paid, yard, basement. $700. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

CARROLL PARK Bring pets! 3 bedroom house, fee paid, yard, basement. $700. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

NORTH PHILADELPHIA 3 bedroom, 2 story, negotiable lease! Basement, pets ok! No credit check! $750. LOCATORS 215-922-3400

NORTHEAST No credit check! 3 bedroom, 2 story house, fenced yard, pets. $750. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

NORTHERN LIBERTIES 3 rooms, hardwood floors, parking, pets ok. $900's. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

OLNEY 3 bedroom, 2 story house, great location! Pets ok! Lease purchase and Own it! $825. LOCATORS 215-922-3400

OVERBROOK Fixed a garage! 3 bedroom, 2 story, washer/dryer, deck, basement. $850. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

ROXBOROUGH Have pets? 3 bedroom, 2 story house, basement, 2 decks! LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

ROXBOROUGH Pets welcome! 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 story house, basement, 2 decks! LOCATORS 215-922-3400

SOUTH PHILADELPHIA 3 bedroom, 2 story house, basement, pets ok! Negotiable lease. $625. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

SOUTH PHILADELPHIA 3 bedroom, 2 story house, basement, pets ok! Negotiable lease. $625. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

TEMPLE No credit check! 3 bedroom, 2 story yard, basement, pets ok. $750. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

Homes

ACADEMY GARDENS 2 story, 6 rooms, parking, air, patio, pets. $750. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

ACADEMY GARDENS 2 story, 6 rooms, parking, air, patio, pets. $750. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

ALLWGHENY 3 bedroom, 2 story house, near park, storage, section 8 ok. $600's. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

ART MUSEUM 4 bedroom, 3 baths, 2 story house, lease paid! Lease purchase and Own it! LOCATORS 216-922-3400

HOUSE TO SHARE LOVELY HOME TO SHARE IN ART MUSEUM AREA. OWN ROOM. FEMALE PREFERRED. $525 MONTHLY-UTILITIES INCLUDED. CALL NORMA AT 215-236-6835 OR 267-235-3092

HOUSES FOR RENT Browse thousands of rental listings with photos and maps. Advertise your rental home for FREE! Visit http://www.RealRentals.com

UNIVERSITY CITY No credit check! 4 bedroom, 2 story, fee paid, pets ok! Finished basement. $1000. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

UNIVERSITY CITY No credit check! 4 bedroom, 2 story, fee paid, pets welcome! Finished basement. $1000. LOCATORS INC 215-922-3400

WEST PHILADELPHIA 6 bedroom, 2 story, skylights, hardwood floors, basement, pets ok. $1500. LOCATORS 215-922-3400

ROOMATES.COM Browse hundreds of online listings with photos and maps. Find your roommate with a click of a mouse! Visit http://www.Rsenmates.com

Vacation/ Seasoned Rental

VACATION RENTALS NORTH WILDWOOD, NJ FLORENTINE MOTEL Beach/Boardwalk Block. Heated Pools. Efficiency/Motel units, refrigerator, elevator. Color Brochure/specials 609-522-4075 DEPT 104 www.florentinemotel.com

VACATION RENTALS OCEAN CITY, MARYLAND Best selection of affordable rentals. Full/partial weeks. Call for FREE brochure. Open daily. Historic Real Estate 1-800-638-2102 Online reservations www.holidayoc.com

Commerical/ Warehouse

FREE MOVING ESTIMATES Get free estimates on local and long distance movers, auto transport, storage and more. http://minyun.org/movers

STUDIO/OFFICE SPACE We are looking for a compatible tenant in search of flexible, partially finished, loft like space. Located on the 13th floor of the Atlantic Building in the heart of the Avenue of the Arts. The space has wonderful views of Center City and is perfect for an office or studio. Space has its own entrance from elevator lobby and can be subdivided as needed. Remainder of the flats house similar architectural options. Interested parties can contact dfravole@gcolevera.com for more information

Roommates

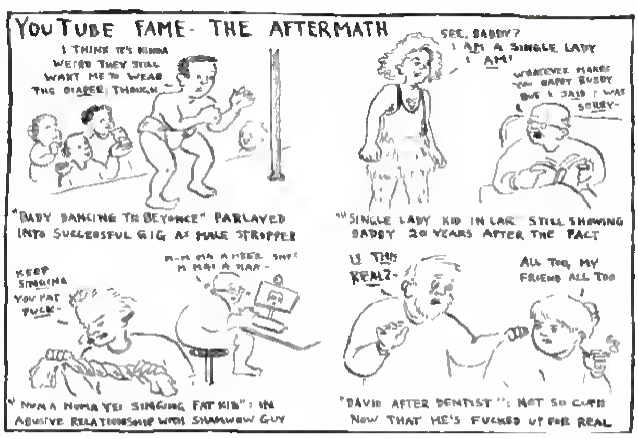
ART MUSEUM AREA Lovely house for share. You have your own room. Female preferred. $525 monthly. Utilities included. Please call Norma at 215-236-6835 or 267-235-3092

NEED A ROOMMATE FAST? Are u looking for a good person to rent a room that have already been updated to live fast? Either way give us a call at 215-253-3017

ROOM FOR RENT Vacinity of 51st and City Avenue. Near St. Joseph's University. Full Time Graduate or International male student preferred, non smoker quiet neighborhood, kitchen and laundry privileges furnished. Utilities included. 375/month (room with 1/2 bath $395) 215-879-5192

ROOMATES.COM Browse hundreds of online listings with photos and maps. Find your roommate with a click of a mouse! Visit http://www.Rsenmates.com





THE TIDES AT SEABOARD POINT







In North Wildwood, NJ, The Tides is an upscale community of 96 residentiel condominiums on 14 ecres in e resort like setting... Enjoy Ocean views, the Pool, Tennis end more...

Sale prices start at $439,000.00 Rentels avellable for year round or vacation use

Thomas McMullen: Broker Office Manager- 609 602-9327(cell)
ThePropertyShoppe@comcast.net Your Cape May County Real Estate Specialist...

TheTides@SeaboardPoint.com - Rentels@Seaboardpoint.com

We never stop moving

Open House every weekend 11:00 until 3:00

COLDWELL BANKER

Coldwell Banker, James C. Otton Real Estate Inc.
5712 New Jersey Avenue, Wildwood Crest, NJ 08260
609-523-6400 or 609-602-9327 www theWildwoods com

CAN'T FIND WHAT YOU'RE LOOKING FOR? CALL ME! RENTAL SPECIALIST ON CALL!



RITTENHOUSE SQUARE
FILTER SQUARE --CENTER CITY

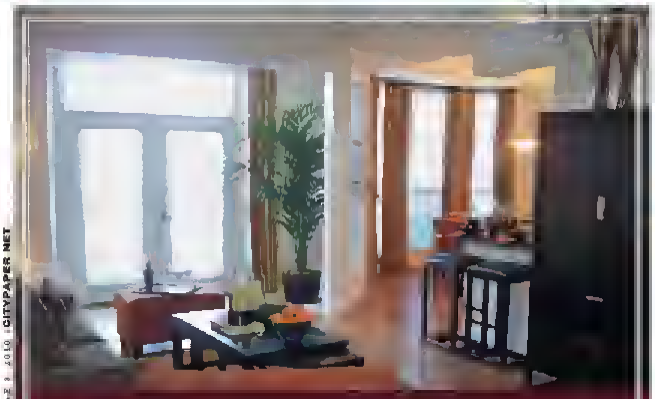
JOHN FEATHERMAN
215-280-7455

John Featherman

210 W. Rittenhouse Sq. #406
Philadelphia PA 19103 Office: 215-546-0550
Direct: 215-790-5221 Cell: 215-280-7455

Prudential Fox & Roach REALTORS®

JOHN@JOHNFEATHERMAN.COM
Licensed in Pennsylvania, License #RS277584



Bala Cynwyd • City Avenue District

Mansion at Bala

LUXURY APARTMENT HOMES • NEW CONSTRUCTION

Granite Tops & Wood Floor – 10' Coffered Ceilings
Free Direct Access Garage – Gate Attendant- Clubhouse
Pool & Fitness Center – Direct Access to Bala R6 Train

4700 CITY AVENUE • PHILADELPHIA, PA 19131
215.477.7700 – WWW.MANSIONATBALA.COM

RENZI PROPERTY MANAGEMENT Inc.

P.O. Box 297 Moorestown NJ 08057

QUEEN VILLAGE

4TH & LOMBARD- 1BD, 1Ba, Private Roof Deck & Entrance. W/D C/A Bi-Level- $1,250.00

OLD CITY FRONT & MARKET- Office 1st floor Bi-Level Private entrance C/A. 700 SQ. Feet- $850.00

WASHINGTON SQ WEST

9TH & PINE- Studio, H/W includes electric and gas. Elevator, Laundry- $ 800.00

1BD, 1BA, H/W, Includes Electric, Gas and Laundry- $ 850.00

[illegible] 1BA, H/W, New Kitchen and Bath, Deck, Laundry- $ 1,200.00

2BD, H/W, includes electric and gas, Laundry- $1,475.00

12TH & SPRUCE- 2 BD, 2BA, H/W, New Kitchen and Bath, C/A, Laundry- $1,550.00-$ 1,700.00

STUDIO, H/W, C/A, Laundry, Utilities included, Courtyard- $ 800.00- $860.00

CHESTNUT HILL

WILLOW GROVE AVE-2BD,2BA, H/W, laundry, Included heat, hot water, & cooking gas- $875.00

1BD, 1BA H/W laundry, Included heat, hot water and cooking gas- $790.00

1BD Jr W/W Laundry, Included heat hot water cooking gas- $725.00

LANSDOWNE

97 S. LANSDOWNE- 1BD, 1BA, H/W New Kitchen, Laundry Included Heat hot water gas- $700.00

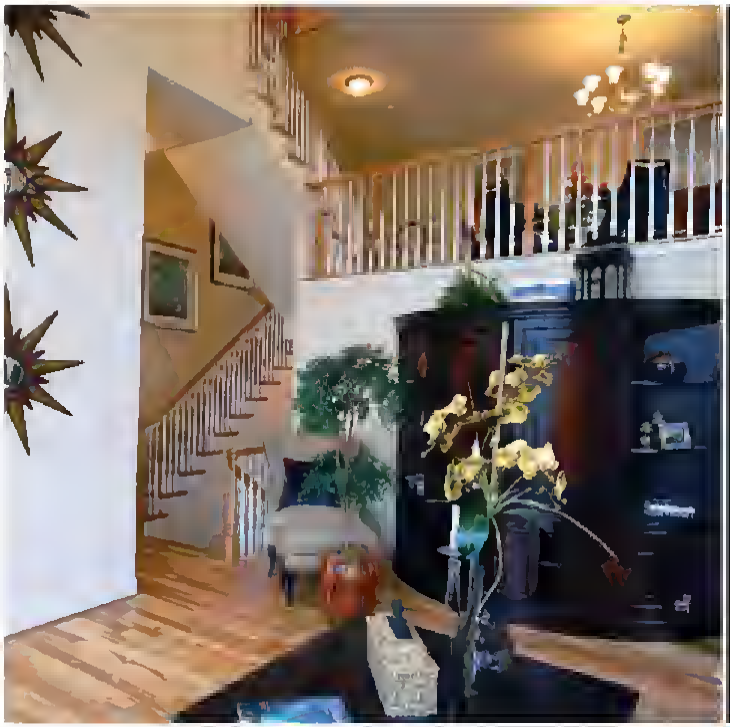
[illegible] E. LANSDOWNE AVE. 2BD, C/A, H/W, include, heat hot water cooking gas, Laundry- $950.00

89 E. BALTIMORE PIKE-1BD,1BA, H/W, New Kitchen, Laundry, Included heat, hot water & cooking gas-$725.00

ELKIINS PARK

415 E. CHURCH ROAD- 2BD, 1BA, New Kitchen, H/W, deck Laundry, Included heat, hot water- $975.00

1BD, 1 BA, H/W, Laundry, Included heat and Hot Water- $750.00



WHAT IF CITY LIVING MEANT

MORE PARKING SPACE,

WHAT IF?

MORE CLOSET SPACE, AND

MORE GREEN SPACE?

IMMEDIATE DELIVERY!

QUICK MOVE-IN CAMILLA MODEL:

- Open Living Room and connecting Dining Room
- Granite Island and attached Breakfast Area in Kitchen
- Powder Room
- Detached one-car Garage
- Lavish Owner's Suite, with spacious Bedroom, 1-2 walk-in closets and Sitting Area
- Owner's Bath features soaking tub, shower and double bowl vanity, and romantic outdoor Balcony off the sitting area
- Two additional Bedrooms each feature walk-in closet, and 1-2 full Baths

SPECIALLY PRICED AT $389,900*

Broker cooperation is warmly invited and appreciated.
* Select models. Talk with a sales associate for details



SIENA PLACE

[CITY LIVING AT ITS FINEST]

OPEN MON, TUES, FRI & SAT 11A-5P | SUN 12P-5P
CLOSED WED & THU

2301 HARTRANFT ST BETWEEN PENROSE AVE AND 26TH ST.

215.339.5390 | SIENAPLACE.COM



[CITYPAPER]
billboard
MAY 27 - JUNE 3 2010
CALL 215-735-8444





Business coaching
can help you make decisions with more clarity, achieve your goals more quickly and do so with less stress Free half hour consultation – 215 806 8319

CORSETS & CLUBWEAR
12 designers - 200+ steel boned corsets in stock size S-5XL
Men's leather - kilts - costumes
PASSIONAL Boutique
704 S 5th St Noon 10PM 7 days
www passionalboutique com

I BUY RECORDS, CO'S, OVO'S
TOP PRICES PAID
No collection too small or large!
We buy everything!
Call Jon at 215-805-8001 or e-mail dingo15@hotmail com

DANCING CLASSROOMS PHILLY MALE TEACHING ARTISTS NEEDED
If you love to dance and enjoy working with kids, this job is for you! Dancing Classroom Philly seeks male "teaching artists" to teach the basics of ballroom dance to 5th graders in Philadelphia schools The 10-week licensed program occurs during the school day, twice weekly for each class. This paid position includes training, teaching schedule, meetings, semi-final and final competition. This program runs both semesters of the academic year
Selected teaching artists must commit to four days of training from August 9-12th
Please send your resume to info@dancingclassroomsphilly org
For more information, contact Bess Witcosky at bessmattern@gmail.com or 215 668 6582

SEMEN DONORS NEEDED
Healthy, College Educated Man 18-39- $150/Sample
WWW 123DONATE COM

CRAFT FAIR & FLEA MARKET
Saturday June 5
Passyunk and Dickinson
For Vendor Information, email, superman72@gmail com

FACING FORECLOSURE?
Foreclosure and Short Sale Expert
Robert Peronne (215) 888-3061
Philadelphia Realty Exchange
(215) 545 6111 EOH, REALTOR
http://PhillyShortSale411 com

Healthy Gardens and Supply Go Green
Hydroponics/Lighting Systems
Organic Nutrients and Medium
Expert Knowledge and Advice
1012 Lincoln ave Prospect Park PA
610 586 2171
www.healthygardensandsupply.com



LONDON GRILL
Make your own Bloody Mary Brunch every Sat & Sun
www.londongrill com
215 978 4545

STUDY GUITAR W/ THE BEST
All Styles All Levels
Former Berklee faculty member
Masters Degree with 23 yrs teaching experience
215 831 8640
www.davidjoel net

NOOKAH BAR/RESTAURANT
HIDDEN CAFE
328 SOUTH STREET
(215) 413-2486

FAST FORWARD
Jamie Moffett Media Design & Production
Motion picture, promotionals, music videos
http://jamiemoffett.com

MANGO MOON Msnayunk
Mouth Watering Thai Tapas and Signature Cocktails
mymangomoon com
215.487.1230

IS YOUR PET MISBEHAVING?
More often than you may realize this behavior is caused by past life events intruding on the present day subconscious
Get your pet the help he or she needs
Call CORKY the Pet Psychic
(215) 555-1490

You're Not A Tech Head....
but you'd like to make life easier with the help of technology
Don't know where to start?
Whether you own a small business, or just need some advice for home, Gudewire can help
Let Gudewire assist you in finding the perfect technology oriented solution you need today
wayne@gudewireservices com

Private Yoga Sessions
Ideal for beginners
looking for individual attention
email for more information
eascat3@gmail com

PROFESSIONAL SINGER OFFERING VOICE LESSONS
Lessons in Center City All styles and levels Find your voice
roundmidnight03@aol com

MACK'S BOARDWALK PIZZA
A Taste Of The Jersey Shore in South Philly 10th & Oregon Avenue.
Pick-Up or Delivery
Bring or mention this ad f or $2 OFF a 17" Pie!
215 755-7553











